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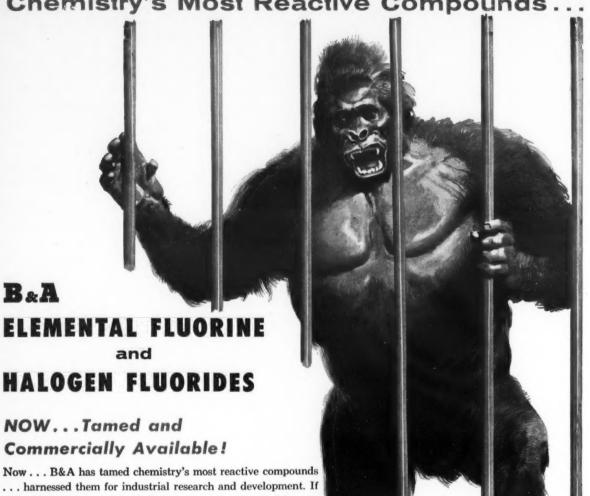
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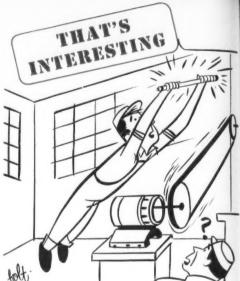
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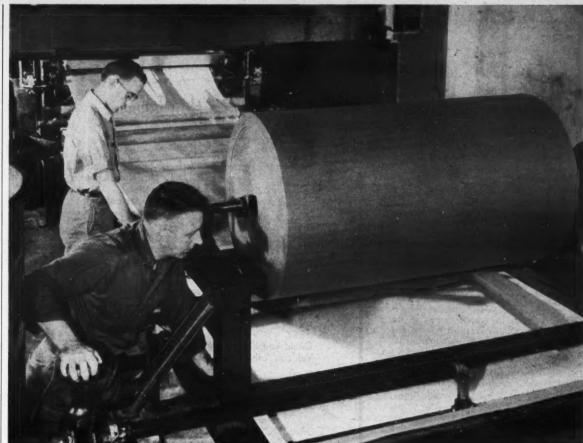
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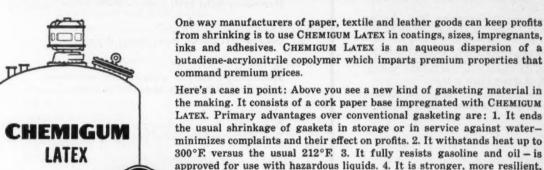
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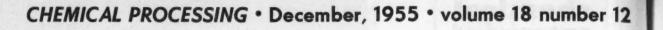
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We editors enjoy talking to you as we visit your plants. You help us plot the course of our editorial columns by your helpful comments — both pro and con. Sometimes we find places where we can help a reader to "get more" out of CHEMICAL PROCESSING by clarifying our editorial philosophy and method of presentation.

For example, some of our readers haven't quite caught on to the fact that each issue is sectionalized into the "job interests" of the processing man. This means that you can find reports on developments in your primary interests quickly, by turning immediately to the sections which pertain directly to your work. Later, you can flash through the rest of the pages for news of other developments.

Four sections are a "must" for all readers. They represent a sort of "cross-section" of job interests. The "New Solutions" section consists of stories telling how a plant solved a problem, be it in processing, packaging, material handling, corrosion, instrumentation, etc. The "Idea" section brings you details of developments in research and in fields other than chemical processing, which may be useful in commercial production in the fields we serve.

"Processing & Engineering Data" (or just plain "Engineering Data") consists of clipout pages of nomographs, charts, and tables to help you in your calculations. Finally, there's the "New Literature" section, packed with short items about new bulletins, booklets, and catalogs available to you.

You'll find these four sections and the other "more specific" sections listed in the table of contents on this page every month.

Dana B. Berg

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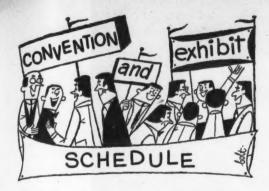
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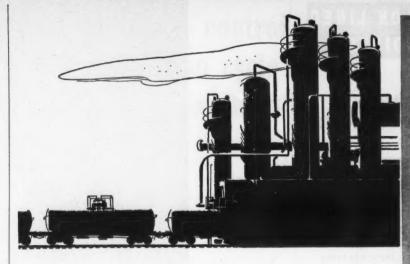
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THIS MONTH'S COVER

CHEMICAL PROCESSING'S cover this month shows flaming storage tanks at Standard Oil's Whiting, Ind., refinery. Story on page 68 tells how mobile radio provided dependable communications... prevented even greater loss. (Chicago Tribune photo)



- Dec 5-7. Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association, Annual Meeting, Roosevelt Hotel, New York City.
- Dec 5-9. 25th Exposition of Chemical Industries, Commercial Museum and Convention Hall, Philadelphia.
- Dec 6-7. The Society of the Plastics Industry, Inc., Sixth Film, Sheeting, and Coated Fabrics Division Conference, Hotel Commodore, New York City.
- Dec 10-16. International Atomic Exposition and Nuclear Engineering and Science Congress, Public Auditorium, Cleveland.
- Dec 12-13. The Material Handling Institute, Inc., Annual Meeting, Statler Hotel, New York City.
- Dec 12-14. American Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association, Mid-year and Eastern Section Meetings, Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York City.
- Jan 18-20. Society of Plastics Engineers, 12th Annual Conference. Hotel Statler. Cleveland.
- Jan 23-26. Plant Maintenance and Engineering Show, Convention Hall, Philadelphia.
- Jan 23-27. American Standards Association, Gaillard Seminar on Industrial Standardization, New York City.
- Jan 24. National Association of Purchasing Agents, Chemical and Allied Products Buyers' Group, Mid-Western Meeting, Palmer House, Chicago.
- Jan 31. NAPA, Chemical and Allied Products Buyers' Group, Eastern Meeting, Hotel Commodore, New York City.
- Feb 1-2. Chemical Market Research Association, Meeting on Aromatic Chemicals, Pittsburgh.
- Feb 26-29. American Institute of Chemical Engineers, Statler Hotel, Los Angeles.
- Apr 9-12. American Management Association, 25th National Packaging Exposition, Convention Hall, Atlantic City.
- Apr 18-20. Armour Research Foundation of Illinois Institute of Technology, Industrial Research Conference on "Research for Profit", Illinois Tech Campus, Chicago.
- Apr 26-27. American Institute of Electrical Engineers, National Meeting, Bradford Hotel, Boston.
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from Recent Literature

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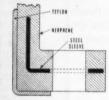


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These pertinent remarks on automation are from a talk, "Our One Indispensable Weapon", given at the Annual Dinner of The Greater Johnstown Chamber of Commerce, Johnstown, Pennsylvania, February 11, 1955.

- "Automation" bas become a menacing word - a modern bogey-man to frighten people
- There is nothing new about automation except the word itself - it is simply evolution
- Only through use of new and better machines can we hope to achieve the fullest employment and a bigher living standard
- Our one indispensable weapon in this time of crisis is our technology - our salvation lies in its growth and change

BENJAMIN F. FAIRLESS Director and Former Chairman of the Board United States Steel Corporation

Recently, there has appeared in this country a great propaganda campaign clearly calculated to discourage and retard the technological progress on which our freedom and the safety of our homes depend. This campaign is based wholly on the psychology of fear. It is designed to frighten our people into the belief that the new machines being devloped now will destroy the jobs of thousands of workers and leave them destitute. And, unfortunately, it appears that this propaganda is proving effective both in the ranks and in the leadership of labor.

Now, there is nothing new, of course, about man's fear of machines. It has existed throughout the

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Our Guest Editor this month, Mr. Benjamin F. Fairless, has had so long and distinguished a career in the steel industry that limitations of space prevent even the briefest of biographical sketches. Suffice it to say that, from humble beginnings, he rose to become Chairman of the Board of the United States Steel Corporation in 1953.

Mr. Fairless recently retired as chairman, but remains with USS as a member of the board and of the finance committee. He has also been made chairman of the newly-formed executive advisory committee of the board of directors.

ages. You'll recall that about twenty-five or thirty years ago such fears were prevalent here in the United States.

In those days, one of the popular plays on Broadway was called "R.U.R.", and it brought the word "robot" into our language. That word frightened us for quite awhile. Technological unemployment became the subject of national debate. But the American people refused to accept this fatal philosophy of fear. This was fortunate indeed, because most military experts now agree that the decisive battles of World War II were fought and won on the production lines of American industry.

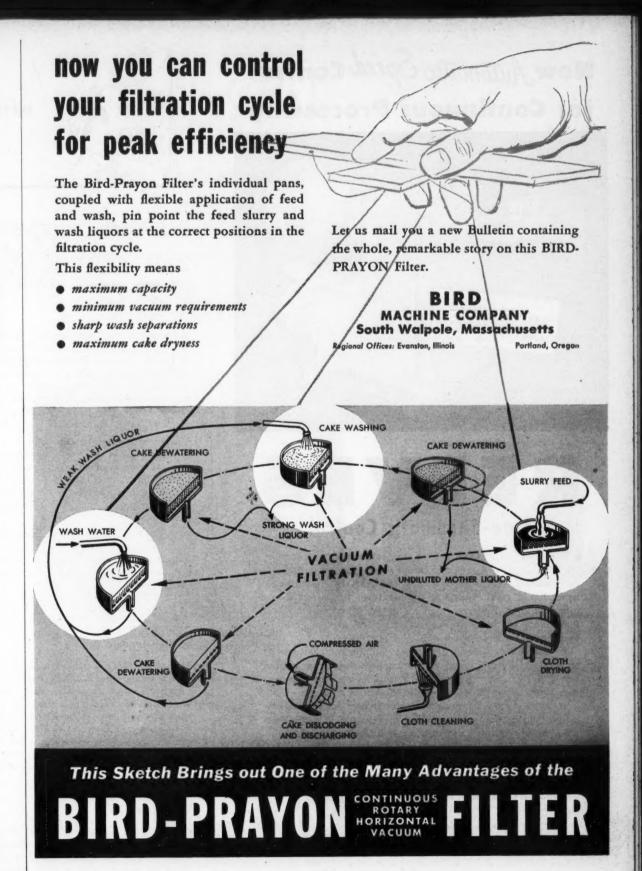
Yet today, the same old blind, unreasoning fear of machines is reappearing among us; and the most curious thing about this new campaign of propaganda is that we are being frightened — not by the advance of technology itself — but once again by a strange new word that few of us understand. This time the word is "automation" instead of "robot", but it means just about the same thing.

Among the engineers who coined it, the word automation is merely a term which conveniently describes certain mechanical controls and processes. There is nothing frightening about it, nor is there anything basically new about the mechanical principles to which it applies.

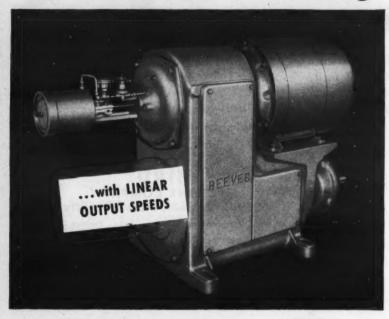
But to thousands of people who do not understand its meaning, it suggests a brand new class of machines — different from any which we have ever had before — and so superior to man that, ultimately, they may rise, like Frankenstein's monster, to destroy us all. Thus, the word alone is enough to conjure up visions of a wholly automatic factory where machines with super-brains will grind out products, 168 hours a week, without any human payroll whatever.

These fears, of course, are just plain. silly. There are no such machines and no such factories; nor will there ever be in our time! But propaganda is a powerful thing and it is growing louder.

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what you can expect in next month's issue . . .

Gremlin chasing in a power station



600°F. At the same time, material retains most of the resistance to chemicals that Teflon can boast about. According to reports, it's proving itself now as gasket material, valve seats, guide bushings.

A dozen or so "war surplus" gremlins invaded the Ripley station of Kansas Gas & Electric Company in 1950. High pH of cooling water was leading to fungus attack in redwood cooling towers. When station engineers tried to beat this problem they ran into another . . . and another. The gremlins stayed on top until early 1954. Gremlin chaser turned out to be a novel

Gremlin chaser turned out to be a novel system of adding sulfuric acid and controlling pH automatically . . . within 0.1 pH unit. Method assures maintenance of proper pH — not high enough for fungus to take hold again, not low enough for metal equipment attack

Working with information obtained from KGE chemical engineer Earl S. Kennedy, Associate Editor Bruce Fader gives blowby-blow account in a January "New Solutions" feature.

Trapping fine dusts at high temps

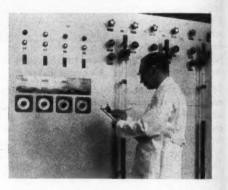
The plant manager fighting air pollution has a strong ally in filters made from Fiberfrax ceramic fibers. The "Ideas" opening feature next month tells results of AEC tests on the filters, showing they remove 99% of micron-size particles from exhaust gases. Even more eye-opening: temperatures of 1400°F (and probably up to 2000°F) won't harm the filter or impair operation.

Teflon for 600°F

Next month's "Corrosion Control" feature article uncovers a new inorganic-fiber-reinforced Teflon that resists cold flow, heat distortion, and extrusion at temperatures to

Customer service 24 hours a day

National Aluminate Corporation, Chicago, has applied automation to the solving of customer ion exchange problems in its test labs. Automatic cycle control has permitted



around-the-clock operation of the test columns with direct supervision for only eight hours of the day. Fast answers to customer problems are the result.

Working with A. Fradkin of Nalco's Ion Exchange Division, CP Assistant Editor Bill Clarke wrote story on the set-up — a "New Solutions" highlight next month.

Acrolein session

Photo (top next page) shows R. W. Eddy (center) and Dr. T. J. Hall (right), both of Carbide and Carbon Chemicals' Fine Chemicals Division, discussing the company's new acrolein chemicals . . . while CP Assistant Editor Frank McElroy keeps pace with his ball-point. Result of the New York City confab is a feature article about the compounds, a "Materials" highlight of the

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Here's a quick preview of features you'll find in January's Chemical Processing



Confab on acrolein chemicals in NYC

January issue. Products are easy to handle, should find use in synthetic resins, plasticizers, pharmaceuticals, textile finishing, rubber chemicals, and the paper industry.

Polyester ducts vent fumes

Glass-reinforced polyester ductwork is very much in evidence at Lindsay Chemical Company's recent \$2½-million addition in West

Chicago, Ill. Company, top producer of rare earths and thorium chemicals, uses the plastic "pipes" for collecting and venting SO₂, SO₃, H₂S, and other troublesome fumes from various reactions.

Assistant Editor Ted Meinhold visited the plant, came away with photos and details of the system.

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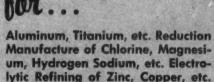
Associate Editor Gordon Weyermuller, working with Edward Billstein, Plant Engineer of Congoleum-Nairn, comes up with a story about how and why that company switched from festoon to flat conveyor drying of their quality flooring material. New dryer is more compact (it's only 8 feet high while older dryer was 65 feet high), provides very close control of drying conditions. Most important: Company foresees a five-fold production increase with only slightly increased manpower requirements.

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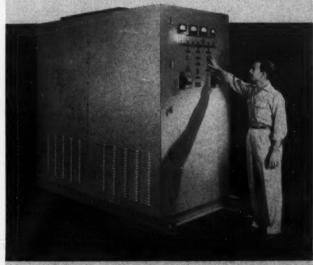
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controls turbo-blower output

Naphthalene is catalytically oxidized to phthalic anhydride using air at above 450°F

By WILLIAM C. CLARKE, Assistant Editor with R. I. COOPER, Plant Superintendent Barrett Division Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation Chicago, Illinois

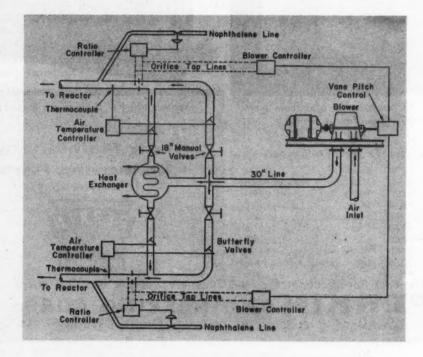
Two-and-one-half years ago Barrett Division, Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation, put a new phthalic anhydride plant on stream in Chicago's Calumet region. This plant was highly instrumentized and as modern as Barrett engineers could design. Principal emphasis of instrumentation was toward reducing manual operations.

Key to this process is control of air and naphthalene fed to a reactor where catalyst vanadium pentoxide breaks naphthalene's ring structure and oxidizes it to produce phthalic anhydride. Product is then fractionally distilled to high purity. A large turbo-blower furnishes air for the system — at a volume, temperature and pressure required by the process.

Three major variables have to be held in control for satisfactory operation of the catalytic oxidation: total air rate, air temperature, and air/naphthalene ratio. One integrated system of controls accomplishes this.

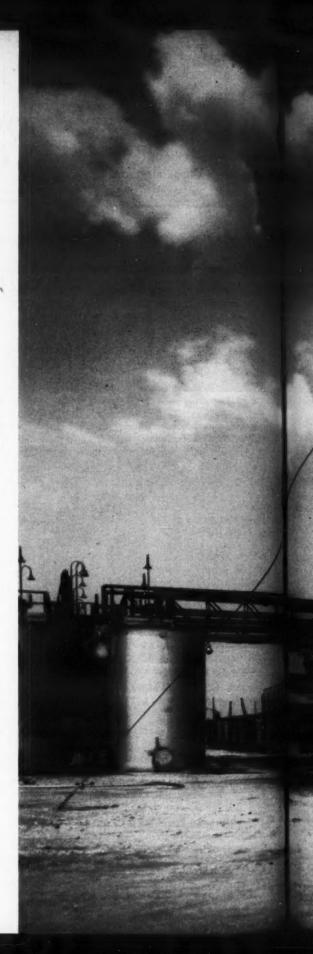
To control total air rate, an orifice is placed in each leg of air line. Either one of these can be selected for automatic air rate control at any time. Operator sets up two conditions — total air to be delivered and air rate through one of the legs (called the "automatic" leg). Other ("manual") leg receives balance of blower's output. Thus it, too, is really under automatic control.

Orifice senses air rate in the automatic leg and drives a controller which positions pitch of blower's air vanes. This is accomplished by hydraulic (Continued on page 26)



Air temperature, total air rate, ratio naphthalene to air are continuously controlled in Barrett's phthalic anhydride plant

Simplified schematic of control system







Solvent-laden air comes from main plant to recovery area through 36" diameter duct. Building houses fractionating tower, scrubber, and controls. Twin adsorbers are right

Combination alcohol-phenol recovery system pays off - Besides avoiding air pollution problem, company finds that it can . . .

recover 2400 gallons alcohol per day plus a ton of phenol

By TED F. MEINHOLD, Assistant Editor with W. F. STEWART, Mechanical Engineer* Panelyte Division, St. Regis Paper Company

Problem: Direct venting of solventladen air to the atmosphere was resulting in a considerable waste of alcohol at St. Regis Paper Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan. Solvents are used at the plant to cut phenolformaldehyde resin used to laminate paper and other materials. Since the vented air also contained some phenol, there was the additional danger of air pollution, which the company was trying hard to avoid.

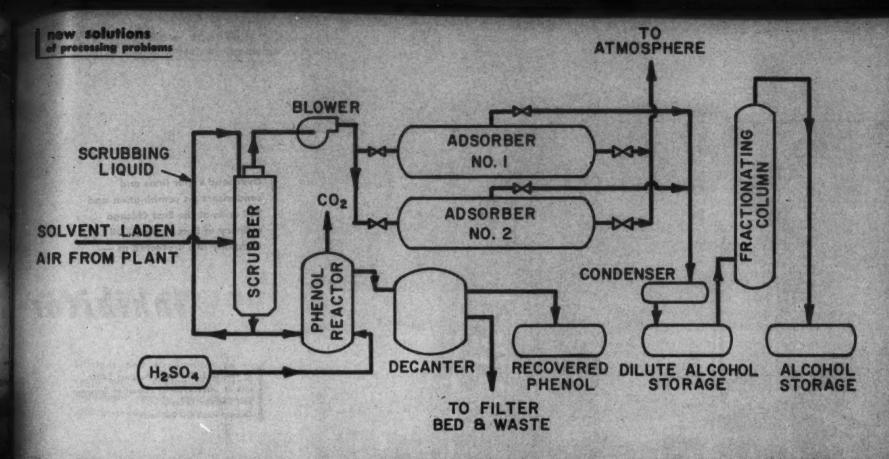
Solution: Engineers designed and installed an activated-carbon solvent-recovery system which includes a separate system for recovering the phenol. To prevent the highly contaminating resin from reaching the car-

*Presently plant manager of St. Regis Paper Company's vacuum forming plant, Richmond, Indiana. bon, a special scrubber was also installed. Solvent-laden air is drawn up through the scrubber, counter-current to the caustic scrubbing solution. Resin is continuously being absorbed by the recirculating solution. Part of the solution is constantly being drawn off and replenished with a fresh supply.

From the scrubber, the resin-free solventladen air enters two adsorbers. Each holds 30,000 lb of granular activated carbon and measures 10' in diam x 50' long. Solvent-free air passes directly to atmosphere after leaving adsorbers.

Adsorption cycle for each of the units lasts from 45 minutes to five hours, depending upon workload. When an adsorber reaches the end of a cycle, the air stream leading into it is automatically shut off, and steam is admitted. Steam drives alcohol off carbon, the released vapors passing through a condenser and into storage tank. Steaming takes 25 to 45 minutes. Adsorbers are steamed alternately so that one unit is in operation at all times. Fractionating column later sepa-

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Flow chart of alcohol and phenol recovery system at St. Regis Paper Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan

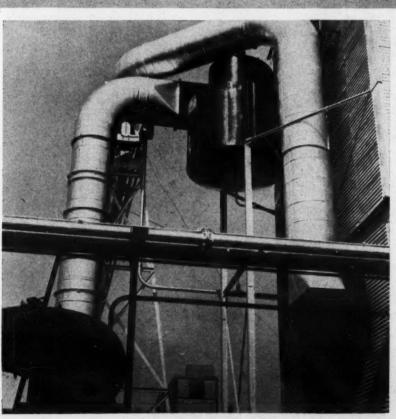
rates alcohol from the water solution.

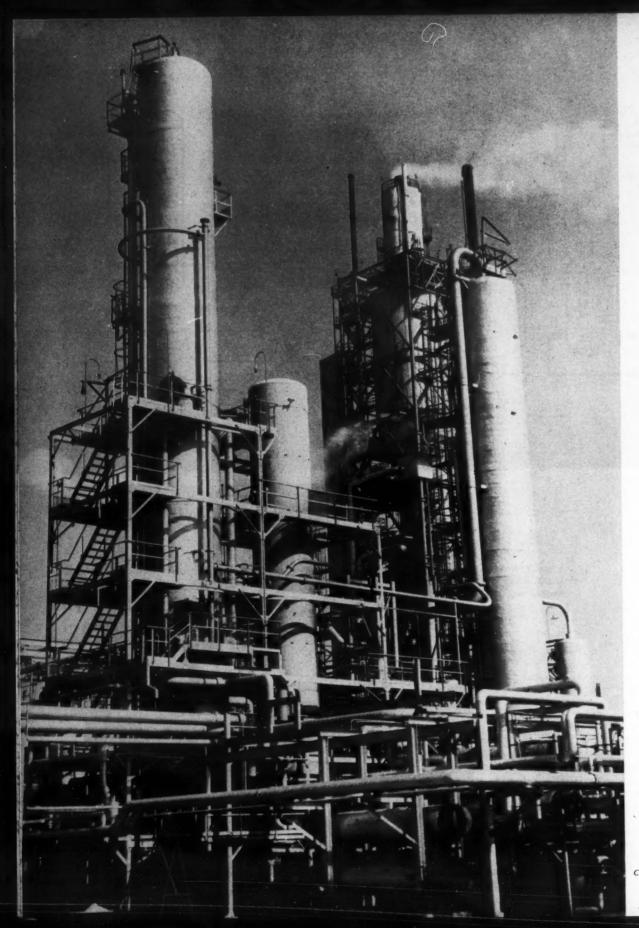
Solution drawn off from scrubber is reacted with 93 per cent sulfuric acid, which frees the phenol. Phenol is separated from the solution in a decanter. Recovered phenol is returned to plant for re-use. Neutralized waste from decanter is filtered and discarded.

Results: Plant recovers about 2400 gallons of alcohol in a 24-hour period. This is over 95 per cent of that volume present in the treated air. Phenol recovery is approximately one ton per day — which is practically 100 per cent. Volume of air treated by the system is about 20,000 cfm. The activated carbon is expected to last for years. Life span of adsorbers is indefinite. Similar systems have been installed at company's Trenton, N. J. and St. Jean, Quebec plants.

(Activated carbon for solvent recovery system was supplied by Activated Carbon Division, Pittsburgh Coke and Chemical Company, Dept. CP, Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa. . . . or check CP 2344 opposite last page.)

Inlet and outlet of scrubber. Blower is at lower left. Due to northern location of plant, practically all outdoor lines are steam-traced





Overhead vapor lines and condensers on combination and TCC units at the East Chicago refinery of Socony Mobil Oil Company are protected as —

inhibitor cut

By FRANK E. McELROY, Assistant Editor with M. JUSTER, Senior Inspection Engineer East Chicago Refinery Socony Mobil Oil Co., Inc.

Problem: At Socony Mobil's East Chicago, Indiana, refinery, distillate coolers on TCC and Kellogg combination units were being corroded by acid vapors from magnesium and calcium chlorides present in the crudes. Temperature of the vapors entering the cooler is about 250°F. The coolers drop this about 80°.

Solution: Early in 1953, a corrosion inhibitor based on rosin amine was tried. This was added as a 5% aqueous solution to the overhead vapor line. Concentration in the unit was about 6 ppm, based on total overhead. A small amount of 5% aqueous ammonia is also added to this line in order to maintain a pH of 6½7 in the water coming from the straight run reflux accumulators.

Known as Polyrad 1110A, the inhibitor contains 11 moles of ethylene oxide per mole of Rosin Amine D mixed with 10% of free Rosin Amine D. This rosin amine is a technical grade of dehydroabietylamine.

The way the inhibitor works is believed to be that a protective molecular film is formed on the metal surfaces, due to the semipolar nature of the compound. Nitrogen atoms of the Polyrad molecule are adsorbed on the metal surface, resulting in a uniform protective layer of closely packed inhibitor molecules. This film exists in an equilibrium

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cuts corrosion

Efficient and economical to use, rosin amine compound also has detergent action, removes scale, and improves heat transfer rates

state. Its molecules are being adsorbed and desorbed at equivalent rates.

In addition to adding Polyrad, Socony Mobil also installed desalters for the crude entering the units. These not only served to reduce the amount of MgCl₂ and CaCl₂, but also alleviated salt deposits in the crude preheat system.

Results: Company feels that the inhibitor is doing an effective job. The filming action of the inhibitor serves not only to reduce corrosion, but also has a detergent effect that removes scale and other incrustations. These may clog pipes and tubes and also reduce heat transfer rates.

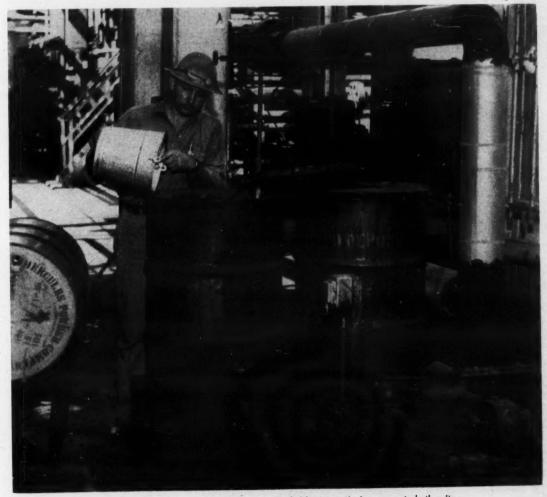
Socony Mobil is now using Polyrad in both their TCC and combination units as they have found it to work very satisfactorily and be economical to use. They found, too, that the still tower itself received a "residual protection" from the inhibitor, since some of it was returned to the tower in the reflux. The detergent action of the compound keeps the coolers clean, maintaining a high heat transfer rate.

Polyrad corrosion inhibitor is product of Hercules Powder Co., Dept. CP, Wilmington 99, Del. . . . or for more information check CP 2345 on form opposite last page.)

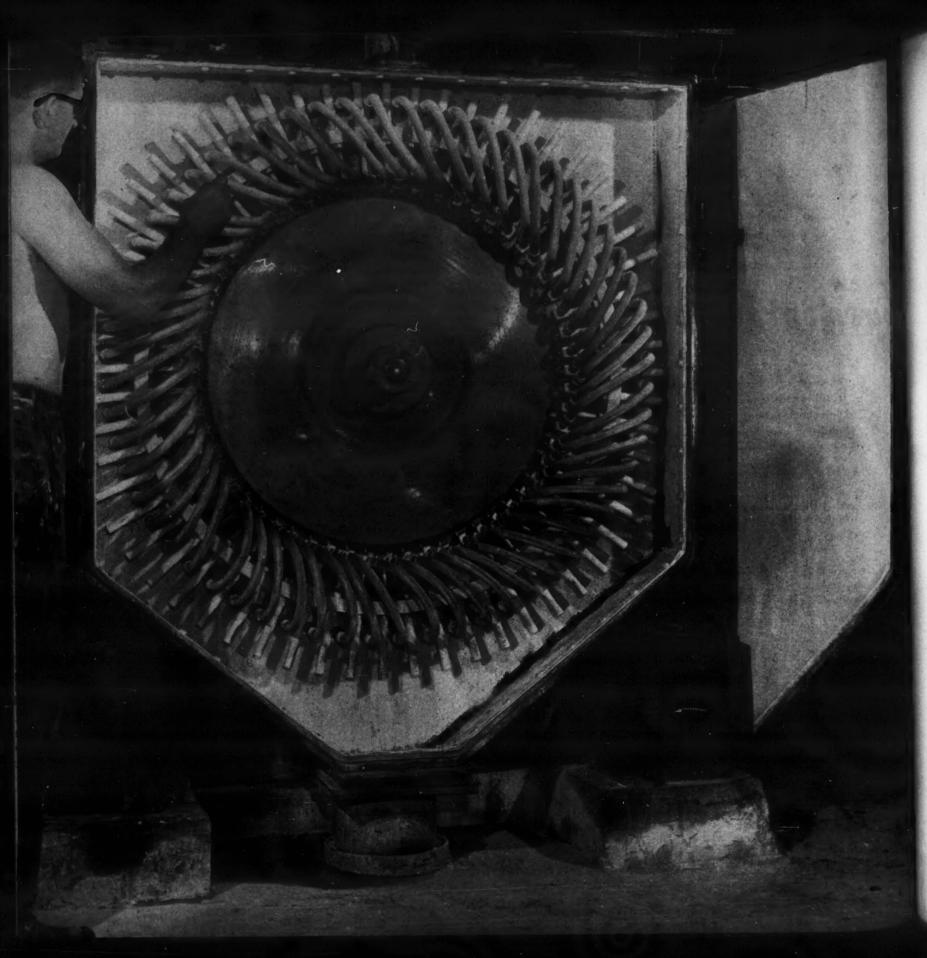


Two of the vapor condensers on the Kellogg combination unit that are protected by the inhibitor. Detergent action of the compound also removes scale, maintains good heat transfer rate

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Operator fills feed drum. From drum, Polyrad is fed by proportioning pumps to both units



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"Shock treatment" applied to paper coating slurry . . .

halves adhesive requirement

Physical characteristics of pigment changed after passing through high-speed dispersion mill

By TED F. MEINHOLD, Assistant Editor with JOHN FRANKEVICZ, Technical Director Champion-International Company

Problem: A method of reducing the amount of adhesive needed for preparing a calcium carbonate-type pigment paper coating was sought by engineers at Champion-International Company, Lawrence, Massachusetts. Since the price per pound of adhesive is considerably higher than that of the pigment, it is desirable to use the smallest feasible proportion of adhesive to pigment.

Solution: Studies revealed that by subjecting a slurry of the calcium carbonate-type pigment to "shock treatment" in a Rafton Mill (see CHEMICAL PROCESSING, May 1954, pages 142-143), the ad-

Operator adjusts one of the 60 nozzles arranged circumferentially around periphery of saw. In operation, jets of slurry are projected from the nozzles into path of advancing teeth hesive requirement could be reduced considerably.

Mill consists essentially of a 36" diameter circular saw, ½" thick, mounted on a horizontal shaft rotated at 3600 rpm by a directly-connected 125 hp motor. Saw has 226 teeth, points of which are spaced at ½" intervals. The advancing surfaces of the teeth are radial. Jets of slurry at 80-100 psi are projected from the nozzles into path of advancing teeth. There are 60 nozzles arranged circumferentially around the periphery of saw. The severe shock imparted to the pigment by the saw teeth brings about the profound changes in the pigment that result in the lower adhesive requirement.

The pigment slurry (about 50% solids and containing about six pounds pigment per gallon of slurry) is pumped through the mill at room temperature and at the rate of approximately 100 gpm, which is equivalent to about 600 pounds pigment per minute. It takes about 20 passes through the mill to achieve the desired results. Slurry returns to supply tank by gravity after passing through mill.

Pigment used by the company is produced as a

filter cake, containing 50-55% solids in water. Cake is reduced to fluid condition by mixing it with a 25% solution of modified starch cooked in water. About 1.5-2.5 parts of starch solids are used for every 100 parts of pigment solids. After shock treatment, proper amounts of clay and adhesive are added to slurry to produce the coating mixture.

Results: Treatment reduces adhesive requirement of the calcium carbonate-type pigment by about one-half. Treated pigment of uniform quality is delivered from mill at rate of 20 tons of pigment solids per day. Unit runs without attention except when starting up or shutting down.

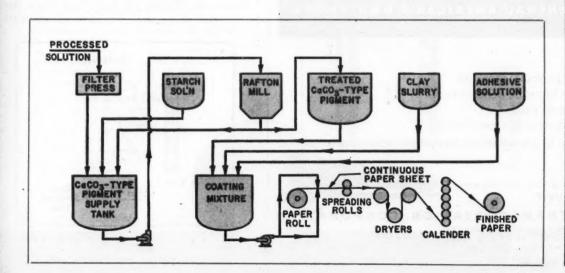
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COATED PAPER

Coated paper is made by preparing a coating mixture, consisting of a concentrated water suspension of finely divided pigment and an adhesive, and applying it to a continuous sheet of paper on a coating machine. The machine spreads the mixture over the surface of the paper and drys the coated paper, which is then finished by running it through a vertical stack of rollers (called a calender).

Clay is the pigment widely used in coated paper, normally in conjunction with precipitated pigments of the calcium carbonate-type. The adhesive used may be modified starch or casein. Clay usually requires 15-27% of starch or 10-18% of casein to cause it to adhere properly to the surface of the paper. The calcium carbonate-type pigments require from 30-40% of starch or 20-27% of casein. The proportion of adhesive required by clay is within the limits generally considered economically satisfactory, but that required by precipitated pigments of the calcium carbonate-type is considered to be beyond those limits.

Article here deals with the application of a Rafton Mill as a means of reducing the proportion of adhesive required by the latter type of pigments at Champion-International Company.



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"Wet end" of coating machine used to coat paper with precipitated pigment coating at Champion-International Company

A second mill has been added and is now in production.

Reason for reduction of adhesive requirement is not definitely known. However, Harold R. Rafton, inventor of mill, believes the following explanation may hold true:

The so-called ultimate particles of the calcium carbonate-type pigment, which may range from 0.2-0.3 micron upwards when viewed in an optical microscope, are believed not to be "ultimate", because the electron microscope has shown that (Continued on page 19)

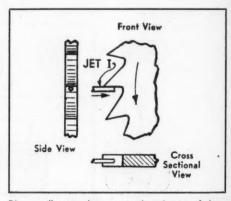
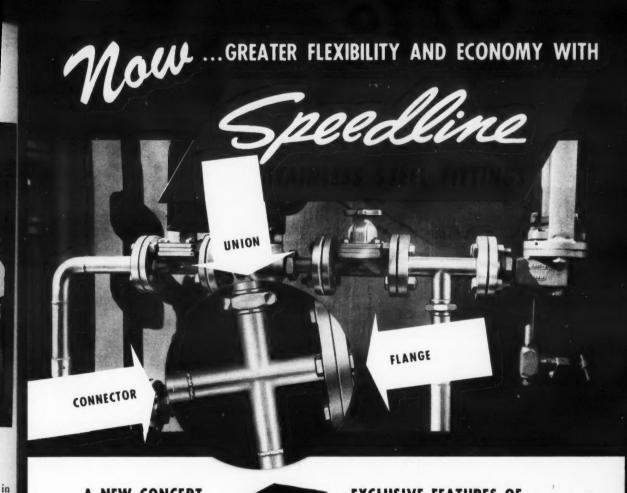


Diagram illustrates how saw tooth strikes jet of slurry coming from nozzle. Shock imparted to material brings about profound changes in slurry



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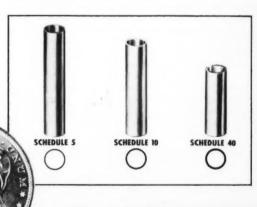
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A PENNSYLVANIA PROCESS PLANT REPORTS:

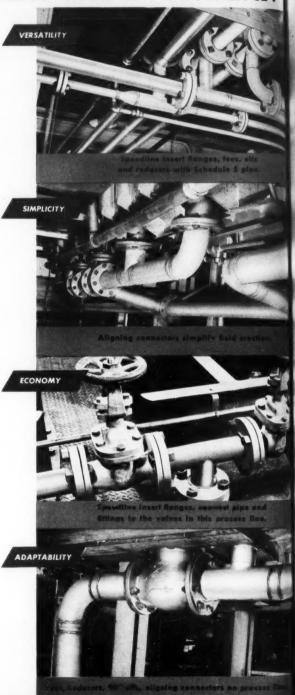
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Side view of the two Rafton Mills used in the paper plant. Pipe at left feeds slurry into new model mill. Older model on right has similar set-up

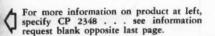
similar precipitated particles really constitute individual clusters, each made up of more minute crystals. These clusters are porous in the sense that the minute crystals do not fit together closely at all points within the clusters.

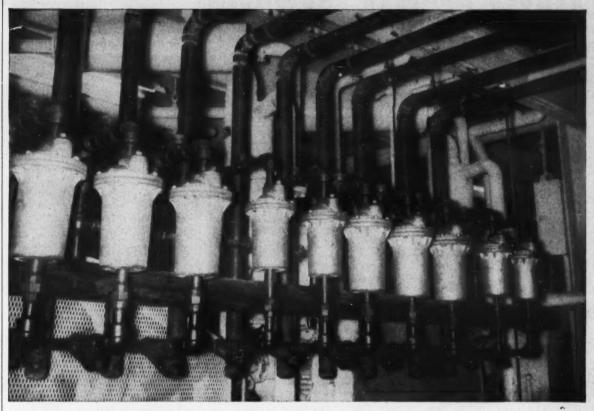
When an adhesive solution is mixed with these clusters, it is thought that a portion of the solution coats the surface of the clusters and that another portion works into the pores. Only that portion of the adhesive on the surface of the clusters is useful for making the pigment adhere to the surface of the paper; that working into the pores is not.

Rafton thinks that the shock action of the mill acts to compress or densify the individual clusters so that the pores between the minute crystals making up the clusters are reduced in size, if not substantially eliminated. Thus, when the adhesive solution is mixed with these condensed clusters, it coats their outside surfaces as before, but the portion of solution which penetrates into the clusters is much less than before, if not practically negligible. Thus most, if not all, of the adhesive solution does useful work on the surface of the clusters, rather than being partly ineffective in the pores of the clusters. This would reduce the amount of adhesive needed to make the clusters adhere to the paper; thereby reducing the overall adhesive requirement for the pigment coating.

Mills have been used for modifying properties of other materials (both inorganic and organic). Processes worked out with a laboratory model can be duplicated on commercial size unit in any tonnage quantities.

(Mill is product of Rafton Engineering Corporation, Dept. CP, P. O. Box 8, Shawsheen Village Station, Andover, Mass. . . . check CP 2347 opp. last page.)





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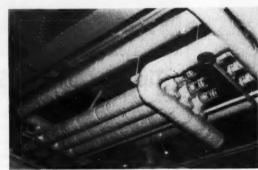
Hot HCl solution of thorium cooled quickly in low-cost glass heat exchanger . . .

unit shipped in handy kit, can be easily assembled

Problem: A low-cost and efficient way of cooling a hot corrosive hydrochloric acid solution of thorium was sought by engineers at Lindsay Chemical Company, West Chicago, Illinois. Temperature of the hot solution was 175°F and it was desired to cool it to about 60°F. Operation is part of overall process for producing rare earth and thorium chemicals from monazite ore. Company is largest US producer in this field.

Solution: Engineers chose a Pyrex-brand glass heat exchanger for the job. Shipped from supplier as a complete kit, unit can be easily assembled at any plant.

Exchanger consists simply of three parallelmounted sections of 2" Pyrex-brand glass heat exchanger pipe individually jacketed with conventional 3" black iron pipe. Each section is 10' long.



Low-cost glass heat exchanger is well-suited for handling corrosives

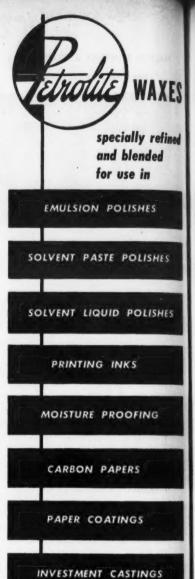
Flanged adapters are used to attach sections to plant's process piping (saran-lined in this case). When assembled, sections may be covered with conventional insulation. Water is used for cooling.

Results: Unit performs cooling job quickly and efficiently. Normal flow rate through exchanger is about 15 gpm. Maintenance is negligible.

(Pyrex-brand glass heat exchanger pipe is product of Plant Equipment Sales Dept., Corning Glass Works, Dept. CP, Corning, New York . . . or check CP 2351 opposite last page.)

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Hiram Walker installs stainless tubes in stillage unit

Double life and increased operating efficiency are expected to result from use of stainless steel tubes in stillage evaporator at Hiram Walker & Sons, Inc., Peoria, Illinois. Tubes are made of 16-gage 304 stainless. Unit has a total of 908 tubes, each 84" long and 2" OD.

Both inside and outside of tubes are subject to corrosive attack. Exterior is exposed to 212°F vapors containing varying amounts



There are 908 tubes in the evaporator, each 84" long and 2" OD

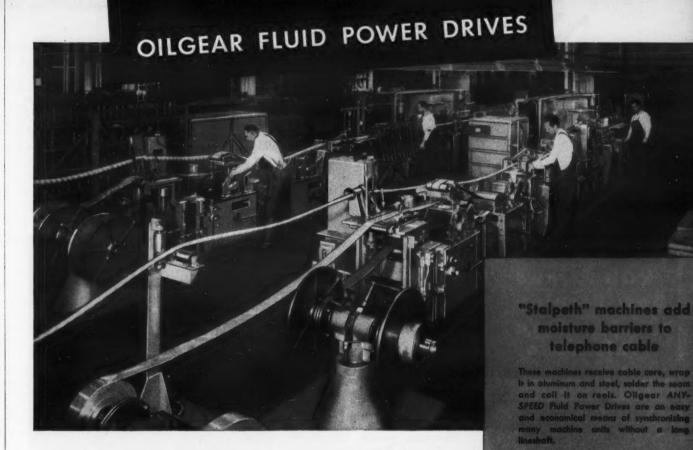
of organic acids. Interior is subjected to the material being evaporated — spent stillage, containing 3% solids, that is concentrated to 30%.

Once a week insides of tubes are cleaned with 4% caustic, and then neutralized with acid. This keeps heat transfer to a maximum. Tube's thinner walls — 0.065" compared with 0.120" of previous metal used — give the new tube 14½% greater capacity.

(Type 304 stainless tube was supplied by the Alloy Tube Division, The Carpenter Steel Company, Dept. CP, Union, N.J. . . . or check CP 2353 opposite last page.)

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Solving the problem of close synchronization of driven members

As machines become more and more complex, combining more and more functions into a single unit, the problem of driving these machines successfully becomes more difficult.

This problem confronted Western Electric Company engineers in designing what they call their "Stalpeth" machines, two of which are shown above. These machines combine corrugating of steel and aluminum strips, forming them around the cable core, soldering the seam and then winding the assembly on reels at the far end. All of the members of the machine must be synchronized to the speed of the capstan unit. Going by their experience with other somewhat similar machines, Western Electric engineers again turned to Oilgear "Any-Speed"

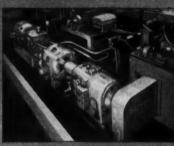
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Problem: At Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corporation, Baton Rouge, La., type of insulation used on the outside of storage tanks resulted in excessive maintenance. Blankets of the insulating material were unsatisfactory mainly because of increased weight due to absorption of moisture. High humidity, rapid changes in humidity, heavy



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Cellular glass insulation being installed on a tank at Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corp. Note Monel bands holding blocks

rains, and high winds made conditions worse. Water would get behind sealing coat, making it difficult to maintain seal. Chicken wire cover corroded in a relatively short time. In come cases, the insulation on a tank would rip off and fall in a sodden heap.

Solution: About three years ago, company started using cellular glass insulation which is impervious to moisture and chemical fumes. Blocks of the material 6 x 18 x 1½" are sealed on tank by the use of Anderson-Pritchard Microseal compound. Insulation is further secured by fastening ½" Monel bands around tank.

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Several hundred vessels, varying in capacity from 2000 to 400,000 gal are insulated in this manner at the plant.

(Foamglas cellular glass insulation is a product of Pittsburgh Corning Corp., Dept. CP, One Gateway Center, Pittsburgh 22, Pa. . . or for more information check CP 2357 opp. last page.)

Damage to product eliminated, less operator attention needed with weigh-fill unit . . .

fills bags or fiber drums accurately without constant weight check

Problem: Auger packer formerly used at Armour & Company, Chicago, to fill soap chips or powder was damaging some products (chips) and creating a dust nuisance. Furthermore, each bag or drum had to be weighed on a platform scale as it was filled. This method called for constant operator attention.

Solution: In 1954, Armour installed two doublespout pre-weighing bag and drum fillers to handle this commercial soap chip and powder production. The filling unit itself is located on the second floor, while the pre-weigh scales are located on the floor above. Scales in turn are supplied from dryers



Pre-weighed soap chips being bagged at Armour & Company. Vibrator (arrow) asures compact fill. Respirator worn by operator is safety precaution

which are located on the fourth floor of the building. Soap chips are fed to the scales by gravity, while powdered soap is fed by screw conveyor. Conveyor can't be used with chips since, as in former filling operation, chips tend to break down when conveyed by auger.

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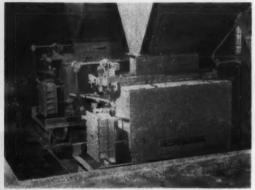
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In filling operation, operator merely pulls chain to release pre-weighed soap into fill hopper. Touch of a button starts fill and also actuates (in chip filling) a B. F. Gump vibrator under bag (see arrow in photo on p. 23). This unit is tied into bag filler with a timer relay and is set to vibrate during fill for a predetermined time. After shake-down of product, vibrator automatically shuts off.

While bag or drum is being filled, another accurately weighed load has automatically been made ready by the scale on the floor above.

Since the installation of this weigh-fill unit, Armour has ceased to have soap chips packed in a damaged condition. Predetermined weights, ranging from 75 to 235 lb, are correct as filled.



Pre-weighing scales are located on floor above filler. Accurate batches are supplied automatically each time filler is actuated

Operator need pay much less attention to filling operation. Dust nuisance, especially with chips, has been considerably reduced, although a respirator is still worn by operator as a safety precaution.

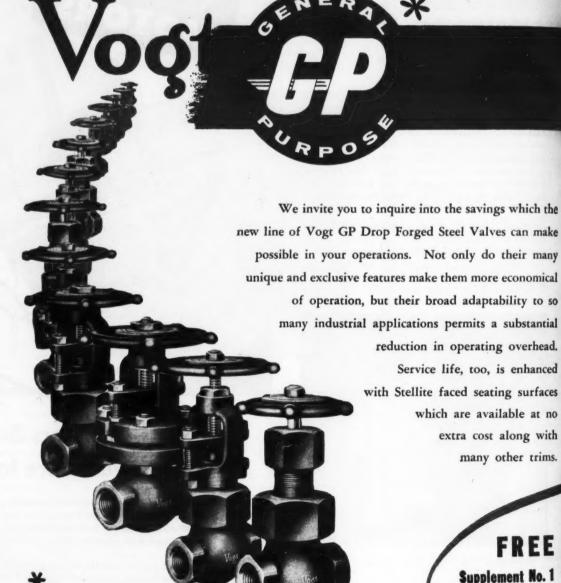
(Model G-38 bagging scale is a product of Richardson Scale Company, Dept. CP, Van Houten Ave., Clifton, N.J. Check CP 2359 opp. last page.)

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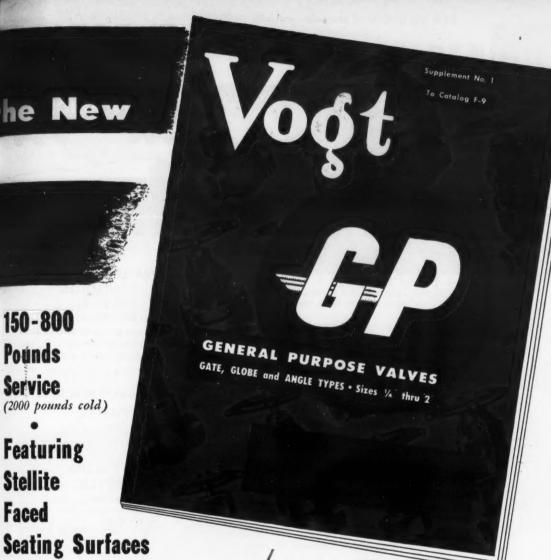
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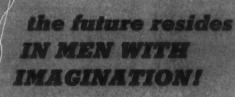
Arrows show two of the three load cells installed on 4000-gallon weighing tank. Cells transmit weight signals to indicator in front of operator

pumped directly from bulk storage into tank through control valves over the indicator. This permits operator to control flow of each latex as he watches the indicator. Flexible link in piping eliminates effects on weight measurements.

The combination of three load cells of 20,000-lb capacity each provides for weighing the empty tank and approximately 50,000 lb of contents. Indicator is set to read directly in net weight of contents. Device is calibrated in 20-lb divisions; can be read within 10 lb of actual weight.

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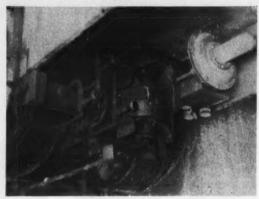
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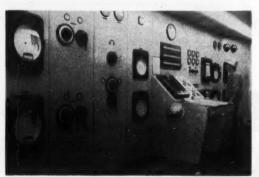
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Control signal is applied to this unit to position inlet main stream butterfly for air-temperature control

amplification in controller. The difference between the adjusted or set desired rate of total air flow and the actual one measured by the orifice displaces a hydraulic jet relay. This repositions the inlet vanes of the blower until difference is zero. Air flow rate in the manual leg is controlled by means of the butterfly.

Air temperature, second of these important variables, is picked up by thermocouples downstream from the orifice. Signal developed by each thermocouple is applied to control unit. It adjusts temperature by throttling a by-pass around heat exchanger. Normally, butterfly valves in lines leaving this heat exchanger operate nearly fully open. By-pass valves are nearly closed. In operation, low temperature will result in opening main stream air valve (if it is not already full open) and throttling by-pass. An independent temperature control system is used for each leg.

To hold process under control, third variable, ratio, naphthalene to air, is also controlled. This is done by controlling naphthalene addition to air stream. Taps leading to the air rate orifice in each leg go to naphthalene controller as well as to blower controller. Control valve setup maintains



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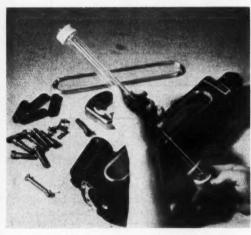
While manual valves in all air lines parallel automatic valves, they have never been put to routine use in this plant. Their only service has been in isolating one leg for maintenance.

(Control elements for this system were furnished by Askania Regulator Co., Dept. CP, 240 E. Ontario St., Chicago 11, Ill. Check CP 2364 opp. last page.)

Packing stops rotameter leaks withstands hot mineral oil, styrene monomer . . .

used on all services except cold water, gas

Problem: Numerous liquid flow meter "leakers" were a plague to maintenance men servicing new production section of large midwest chemical company running styrene monomer and hot mineral oil. Deterioration of packing glands sealing meter's calibrated glass tube caused failure after a few days or hours service on the line. Organic rubber, cork, asbestos, synthetic rubber, and fluorocarbon plastics shredded or impregnated into asbestos were tried unsuccessfully.



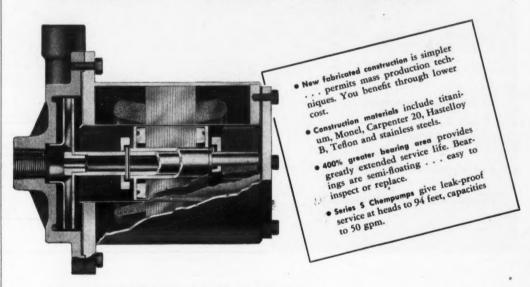
Packing glands are easy to assemble and tighten down

Solution: Packing glands were fabricated from Silastic, a rubber-silicone formulation. Compound was easy to stop, assemble, and tighten down.

Results: Leakers promptly stopped. Backlog of flow meters needing repairs was eliminated. Slight swelling of packing in contact with media simply made seal tighter without breaking tube. Packing has now been made standard for all of the thousand or so meters in plant.

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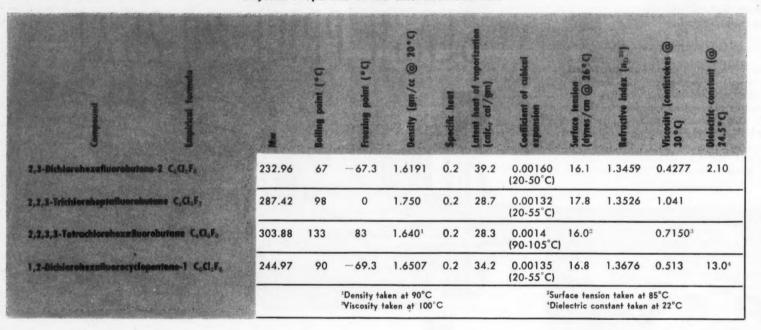


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Physical Properties of the Chlorofluorocarbons



Stable compounds and derivatives are used as intermediates and also are used directly

Four chlorofluorochemicals take their bow this month as new tools for use in many applications where their unique properties, stability, and relatively low cost may be of advantage. Besides use as chemical intermediates, they have potential in many mechanical applications. In two of these compounds, the reactive double bond is the center of attack, and can be used to modify these compounds as well as synthesize new ones.

As these four chlorofluorochemicals step out on the chemical stage, we'll describe their features, each in turn:

2,3-Dichlorohexufluorobutene-2 — (US Patent 2,436,-357) An intermediate in the preparation of a host

of compounds that have widely divergent properties. Some of these are chlorofluorocarbons, perfluorocarbons, fluorinated monomers, and derivatives of chlorofluoro and perfluoro acids. These should find application in the fields of plastics, refrigeration, textiles, paints, and protective coatings.

Physical properties of the clear, colorless liquid are given in the table. Compound can be a source for fluorochemicals containing functional groups, and also as the starting point for making many perhalogenated derivatives. Typical chemical reactions include:

1) Halogen exchange.

CF3CCI = CCICF3 + AICI3 - CF4 CCI = CCICCI3 + AIF4

Product of the exchange is the starting point for a completely new series of chemicals. Hydrolysis of this compound gives dichloro trifluoro crotonic acid, from which a wide variety of reactive derivatives can be made.

 Reaction with alcoholic base is interesting.* The products have an ether linkage which should impart good viscosity index and improved lubricity characteristics to fluorochemicals.

CF3 CCI = CCICF3 + KOH + CH3 OH reflux CF3 C = CCICF3

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CF₃CCI = CCICF₃ + 3KOH + 3CH₃OH reflux FC - C = CCICF₃

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3) It reacts also with the monosodium derivative of malonic ester.* Final product may have good VI, be a fire retardant, and may find use in elastomers.

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mers and comonomers are formed.*

CF3CCI = CCICF3+Zn+HCNH2 -- CF3 CH = CHCF3

5) Oxidation with KMnO4 gives two mols of a salt of a perfluoro acid. (US Patent 2,414,706.)

6) Reaction with HF and Cl₂ in presence of pentavalent antimony at 250°C gives 2,2,3-trichloroheptafluorobutane, also available (see below).

Compound is soluble in many organics. It can be handled safely if adequate precautions are taken to avoid excessive inhalation and contact with both liquid and vapor. Inhalation toxicity results showed that 1240 ppm in air was fatal to rats exposed for one hour.

2.2.3-Trichloroheptafluorobutane - This clear, colorless liquid is potentially attractive for a variety of uses that require specialized properties, due to its unique combination of chlorine and fluorine. The high fluorine content and the perhalogenated nature of this compound give it good oxidation resistance. Its thermodynamic and electrical characteristics suggest applications as a coolant and refrigerant.

The three chlorine atoms on adjacent carbon atoms give a point for chemical attack, which gives interesting derivatives. Typical examples:

1) Reduction with zinc gives a compound analogous to the first compound discussed in this article.

CF3 CCI2 CFCICF3+Zn - CF3 CCI = CFCF3+ZnCI2 This compound might also be polymerized.

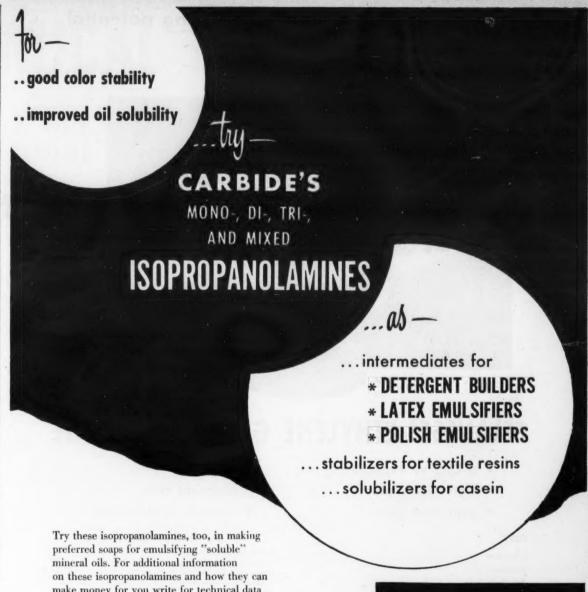
2) Reaction with cobaltic fluoride gives other interesting series.

CF3 CFCICFCICF3+Zn - CF3 CF = CFCF3

2,2,3-Trichloroheptafluorobutane is moderately toxic, and should be handled with precaution. Inhalation toxicity studies show that a concentration of 1800 ppm in air was not fatal to rats.

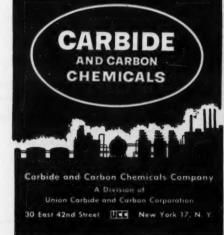
2,2,3,3-Tetrachlorohexafluorobutane - (US Patent 2,407,246) Having a chemical formula CF3-CCl2-CCl2-CF3, this compound has interest as a possible fumigant. Substitution of chlorine atoms by fluorine leads to a series of compounds with value as dielectrics, coolants, and refrigerants. Vapors of the white, waxy solid are classed as toxic. A lethal dosage was obtained by exposing rats to 190 ppm in air for one hour.

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1,2-Dichlorohexafluorocyclopentene-1 — This compound may prove to be the most interesting of the quartet. In addition to its suggested uses as a coolant, dielectric fluid, and a selective solvent, it can be the beginning of a series, of fluorinated derivatives based on hexachlorocyclopentadiene. This latter compound is the basis for a number of well-known insecticides. A Diels-Alder reaction product of this same compound can be used to make chlorinated dibasic acids, which are the basis for a number of fire-resistant resins.

A number of highly fluorinated compounds containing functional groups can be prepared from this chemical. This interesting series should find application as monomers, coolants, dielectrics, and refrigerants. Some typical reactions are:

- 1) Oxidation with KMnO₄ gives the potassium salt of perfluoro glutaric acid, (US Patent 2,438,484) an intermediate for a variety of compounds such as acid halide, amide, esters, alcohols, and the anhydride. These derivatives should find use in making wetting agents, polyester resins, polyamide resins, hydraulic fluids, and elastomers.
- 2) Halogenation with CoF₃ adds fluorine to the unsaturated carbon atoms. Under the influence of light, Cl₂ adds chlorine at these carbons.
- 3) Reaction with an alcoholic base gives unsaturated compounds with ether linkage.*
- 4) Halogen exchange gives another interesting compound.

This compound can be handled safely with adequate precautions. A concentration of 2000 ppm in air is fatal to rats in one hour.

*From PbD thesis of R. A. Lasif, Chio State University, 1952. (Chlorofluorocarbons are available in developmental quantities from Hooker Electrochemical Company, Dept. CP, PO Box 344, Niagara Falls, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2369 on form opposite last page.)

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Resultant coatings meet strict U. S. Navy specifications for adhesion, porosity, corrosion, electrolysis, impact and thermal shock.

New AEC Sodium Handbook Now Available

The third edition of the Liquid-Metals Handbook was released on July 1 of this year by the Atomic Energy Commission and Department of the Navy. Designated as the Sodium-NaK Supplement, it is devoted entirely to liquid sodium and liquid sodium potassium mixes (NaK). Subjects covered include: chemical and physical properties; heat transfer and chemical engineering; system design; components; safety and fire protection; and applications.

Also available: Sodium Plumbing by William B. Cottrell and Leland A. Mann—a review of unclassified research and technology involving sodium at Oak Ridge National Leboratories

These books are highly recommended as supplements to U.S.I.'s own literature on handling of metallic sodium.

New Reforming Unit Assures Maximum U.S.I. Ammonia Production

At the U.S.I. ammonia plant — Tuscola, Illinois — a new Girdler reforming unit has just been completed as an alternate raw material source in the production of ammonia from natural gas. Until now the only raw material for U.S.I. ammonia manufacture has been hydrogen from the neighboring ethylene production facilities of subsidiary National Petro-Chemicals Corporation.

The new unit will supplement the available hydrogen when necessary to make it possible to operate the ammonia plant at full capacity at all times. This plant is rated at 50,000 tons per year.

Alkali Metals On Agenda At Spring ACS Meeting

A symposium on the "Handling and Uses of the Alkali Metals" is scheduled for the national spring meeting of the American Chemical Society in Dallas, April 9-13, 1956. Metallic sodium, potassium, lithium, etc. will come under discussion.

U.S.I. OPENS TWO NEW ALCOHOL DENATURING, DISTRIBUTION PLANTS

New Units At Newark, N. J. and Tuscola, Ill. Also Serve As Distribution Points For U.S.I. Solvents and Chemicals

Two new combination ethyl alcohol denaturing plants, bonded warehouses, and solvent distribution points have been added by U.S.I. during the past month. One is at Tuscola in central Illinois, the production point for U.S.I.'s synthetic alcohol; while the other at Newark, N. J., replaces a smaller denaturing operation a short distance away. These new plants, along with existing units at

New Orleans, La., Anaheim, Cal., and Chicago, Ill. permit overnight and often sameday emergency deliveries to alcohol and solvent users throughout most of the country. Integrated facilities at all locations can supply pure alcohol, denatured alcohol, SOLOX® proprietary alcohol solvent as well as other chemical solvents, in straight deliveries or mixed shipments in compartment tank cars, tank trucks, box cars and trucks.

The Newark plant has a 10 million gallon per year rated capacity, and is designed to handle the large tank truck volume in metropolitan New York and Northeast U. S. areas. The Tuscola unit, designed to serve the

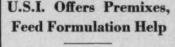
The Tuscola unit, designed to serve the Midwest with a flexible 12 million gallon per year capacity, is in the existing U.S.I. plant area where sulfuric acid, ammonia and nitrogen fertilizer solutions are produced. It is located next to subsidiary National Petro-Chemicals' manufacturing facilities for synthetic alcohol, ether, ethyl chloride, polyethylene and other petrochemicals.

ethylene and other petrochemicals.

Because these plants handle all denatured alcohol formulations, physical layout of the plant insures that only the required denaturants are present in any batch. This is accomplished by providing a separate line for each denaturant, and the use

of 12 denaturing tanks. Gravity flow system insures complete

MORE



To keep pace with increasing demand of feed manufacturers for premixes, U.S.I. has expanded the scope of its nutritional services.

Vitamin and antibiotic supplements are usually added to the ration in small amounts — a time-consuming operation demanding careful attention, where slight measurement errors can prove costly. As a result, more and more feed manufacturers are buying USIMIX Premixes which contain vitamins, antibiotics, methionine and other additives in batch-size packages mixed to their specifications.

Also available: U.S.I. formulation service, offered to feed manufacturers on a confidential basis. U.S.I. will review feed formulations and offer suggestions.



New U.S.I. alcohol denaturing and distribution plant at Newark, N. J.

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drainage of all tanks and discharge lines But with all of these built-in safeguards chemical analysis of each batch is the final test. Years of application in other U.S.I. denaturing plants have proved the effectiveness of these methods of control.

Both plants have been designed to meet the pace of the fast-moving alcohol industry.

Push-button control of the denaturing operation from a central control room permits quick preparation of formulas. Paper work delays are avoided by teletype connections between each plant and the U.S.I. sales divisions, a system which insures the best possible service for U.S.I. alcohol and solvent customers whose requirements were the governing factor in the design of these plants.

Permits, Bonds No Longer Needed On Sodium Ethylate

Purchasers of U.S.I. alcoholic solutions of sodium ethylate (15-20%) no longer need to file permit form 1485, nor do they need bonds to cover such purchases. The product can be sold only to firms using it in chemical processes and such firms will be required to submit to A&TTD, for approval, Form 1479-A in quadruplicate, stating the process and re-covery and reuse of the alcohol.

Sodium ethylate is made by reacting sodium metal with anhydrous ethyl alcohol, U.S.I. supplies finished product and both raw materials.

"U.S.I. Isosebacic" Acid First Project For New Cincinnati Pilot Plant

U.S.I. has just completed a new half-million-dollar pilot plant building at its research site in Cincinnati, Ohio. The new building provides 15,000 sq. ft. of versatile plant space, air-conditioned control laboratories, and the necessary utilities for final testing of processes and products developed by the U.S.I.-National Distillers Research Department.

The research program is aimed particularly at the development of new products and processes which integrate with other industrial chemicals produced by U.S.I. and subsidiary National Petro-Chemicals Corporation. First product to be piloted in the new research building is "U.S.I. Isosebacic" acid, which exemplifies this research goal in that it is derived from both sodium and petrochemical sources. Evaluation quantities of the new material will be turned out, and the process, originally piloted at another location, will be polished up. Samples are now freely available to all interested researchers.

Preliminary work indicates that polyurethan flex-foams will provide a major outlet for this new dibasic acid. When made from "U.S.I, Isosebacic" acid, these materials seem to have more uniform cellular structure and excellent elasticity.

In the vinyl resins field, evaluations of compounds plasticized with esters of "U.S.I. Isosebacic" acid show an unusually high resistance to extraction by soapy water and oil. TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENTS

Information about manufacturers of these items may be obtained by writing U.S.I.

New alkaline agent for stripping anodic coatings from aluminum eliminates waste disposal prob-lem metal finishers encounter with acids. Water solutions at room temperatures remove average coatings by immersion only, in seconds. (No. 1120)

Spiral polyethylene tower packings now available show 140% increase in efficiency over other types, reduce packed height needed for separations. Liquid is held in interstitial spaces rather than on wetted surfaces. (No.1121)

Edible qum for thickening water is now offered which gives viscosity of 3000 cp at 1% concentration, provides colloidal stabilization. One cent worth per pint makes a barely pourable solution, tasteless and odorless. (No. 1122)

New folder describes Flexspout® polyethylene closures on 5-gallon drums of U.S.I. ethyl alcohol USP, and U.S.I.'s proprietary denatured alcohol solvent SOLOX®. Illustrates how spout can best be opened and used.

New organic brominating agent with 54% minimum bromine content now in commercial production. Costs less than other types, is somewhat more stable, and more reactive due to higher solubility in many organics. Gives high yields.

Entirely new type of adhesive can be permanent or temporary, depending on requirements. Used for labeling polyethylene and other plastics, it replaces pressure-sensitive labels, can be applied by bright or existing machines. (Ro. 1125)

Specimens of 25 starches and condiments, on microscope slides, now available as standards in examining foods—and for quality control, research, litigation and eriminology purposes. Hair and fiber specimens also available.

Newly developed paper admits air, but resists passage of oil, water and other liquids. Manufacturer working on use possibilities. One suggestion—paper raincoats to shed water but keep wearer cool on hot days.

(No. 1127)

New patent on sodium for making sodium cyclo-pentadiene listed as one of group of Ziegler patents on metal-organics now purchasoble in translation. Patent gives 10 examples of con-venient manufacturing procedures in detail. (Mo. 1128)



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Features: These tertiary amines are now in commercial production and are available with very high purities. This gives the user more of the active ingredient per pound and also makes a number of syntheses quite competitive.

Description: Part of manufacturer's Armeen® family, dimethyl alkyl tertiary amines in distilled grades contain a minimum of 92% tertiary amine, while the undistilled grades have at least 80% purity.

(Dimethyl alkyl tertiary amines are products of Market Development Dept., Chemical Div., Armour and Company, Dept. CP, 1355 W. 31st St., Chicago 9, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 2370 on form opposite last page.)

High adsorption capacity, safe in contact with food or drugs...

dehydrating agent meets government specs for packaging desiccant, static dehumidifier

Uses: Adsorption packaging desiccant and static dehumidifier for drugs, foods, or other materials which are damaged by moisture.

Features: Dehydrating agent can adsorb much larger amounts of moisture or water vapor in lower humidity ranges. It can be placed safely in direct contact with food and drugs.

Description: Material is a silica-type physical adsorbent and meets all government specifications for adsorption packaging desiccants and static dehumidifiers. It is packaged in ready-to-use unit bags.

(Humi-Sorb is a product of Desiccant Div., Culligan, Inc., Dept. CP, Northbrook, Ill. . . . or check CP 2371 on form opposite last page.)

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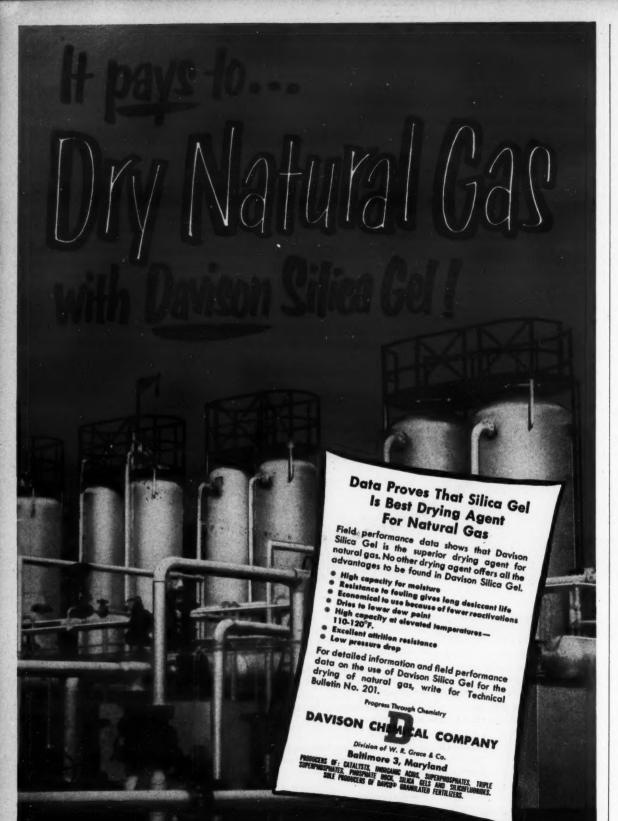
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Six chemical intermediates should find application in many products . . .

pharmaceuticals, insecticides, perfume materials, fine chemicals suggested for all six

Allylacetone, and unsaturated ketone with a terminal methyl group, should be a desirable intermediate for synthesis of pharmaceuticals, perfume materials, fungicides, insecticides, and other fine chemicals. Compound is water-white and has a purity over 99%. In distillation, 5 to 95% boils within a 128.5° to 129.5°C range. Sp gr @ 20°C is 0.841; refractive index @ 25°C is 1.4170. It is soluble in organics and sl. sol. in water. Mw is 98.08.

2,5-Dimethylhexadiene-2,4 is a symmetrical hydrocarbon containing a set of conjugated double bonds. It lends itself to a series of condensation reactions, and is suggested for the same applications as the above compound. Mw is 110.12. It is a water-white liquid with sp gr @ 20°C of 0.762 and refractive index @ 25°C of 1.436. 95% boils at 136.8°C.

2,5-Dimethylhexane-2,5-diol, a mildly aromatic white crystalline glycol, has a mw of 146.14 and melts at 88-89°C. Soluble in most organic solvents, the glycol contains two tertiary hydroxyl groups. It can be fully or partially dehydrated, cyclized with various amines, and fully or partially esterified. This and all the chemicals described here have the same suggested uses.

Ethyl α -allylacetoacetate has a purity of 92%+. The water-white liquid has the formula $C_9H_{14}O_3$ and an mw of 168.11. Sp gr @ 20°C is 0.989. Refractive index at 25°C is 1.436. IBP is 207.5°C, with 90% boiling at 218.5°C.

Ethyl chrysanthemumate (chrysanthemum monocarboxylic acid ethyl ester) is 97.2% pure. A pale yellow liquid, it is soluble in alcohols and ketones, insoluble in water. Mw is 196.28 and n_D²⁰ is 1.4610. Compound's double bond reacts with halogens, ozone. hydrohalogen acids, sulfuric acid, nitrous anhydride, or nitrogen tetroxide. Modification of the ester group or additions to the double bond may provide useful cyclopropane derivatives.

Ethyl diazoacetate is an extremely reactive chemical which up to now has been handicapped in its commercial applications by its relative instability and handling hazards. Therefore manufacturer is making facilities available for synthesis of compound's various derivatives.

(Organic chemicals above are available in developmental quantities from Fairfield Chemical Div., Food Machinery and Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 420 Lexington Ave., New York, N. Y. . . . or for more information about manufacturer's product, reader may simply check CP 2375 on form opposite last page.)

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Derived from acrolein: 1,5-pentanediol . . .

of particular interest are its esters and polyesters

This diol undergoes reactions typical of glycols: oxidation, dehydration, esterification, and acetalization. It forms esters and polyesters that are important intermediates in making polyester resins, urethane foams and elastomers, fibrous glass-reinforced resins, magnet and wire enamels, and other resinous materials.

Various esters have been suggested as plasticizers for vinyl polymers and such textile fibers as cotton, rayon, and wool.

It is also of interest to manufacturers of brake and hydraulic fluid compositions, emulsion breakers, lubricating oil additives, cosmetic preparations, insect repellent formulations, resin solvents, antifreeze solutions, and chemical intermediates.

(1,5-Pentanediol is a product of Carbide & Carbon Chemicals Co., a Div. of Union Carbide & Carbon Corp., Dept. CP, 30 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N.Y. . . . or check CP 2376 opposite last page.)

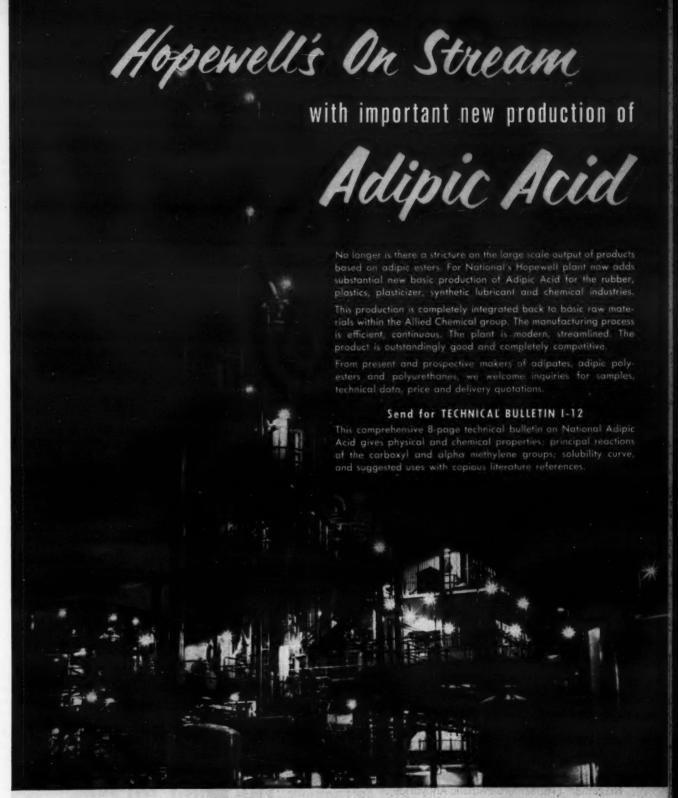
Rare sugars, biologicals cataloged

Rare sugars, sugar derivatives, amino acids, and other biological chemicals are cataloged in 24-page pocket-sized bulletin. Specifications, container sizes, and prices are given. Among items of particular interest are: levulose, galactose, bilirubin, salicin, and calcium and sodium glucoheptonate.

"Price List" is issued by Pfanstiehl Laboratories, Inc., Dept. CP, 104 Lake View, Waukegan, Ill. Check CP 2377 opposite last page.

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silicone emulsion mold release gives quality finish

Uses: As a mold release compound.

Features: Designed specifically to minimize rubber mold cleaning operations. Agent gives efficient mold release and imparts a high quality finish to rubber products. It is particularly suited for white and light-colored goods.

Description: Poly-Cone 1000 is a modified silicone emulsion containing 38% active ingredients. It is effective on conventional mold metals, including aluminum.

(Silicone mold release is a product of National Polychemicals, Inc., Dept. CP, Eames St., Wilmington, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 2379 on form opposite last page.)

Develops a soft amorphous-type silica . . .

of special interest to paint, varnish makers

Uses: In production of paint and varnishes.

Features: In addition to increased surface area, silica has a low pH value, higher oil absorption, and low particle size.

Description: Soft, amorphoustype silica has a particle range of 1 to 15 microns (with 98% minus 10 microns).

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Good electrical insulation properties, low-temperature characteristics in polymeric vinyl plasticizer . . .

being a liquid, it goes on the mill easily

Uses: As a polymeric plasticizer for vinyl resins.

Features: Being a liquid, it is much easier to handle and gives a lighter colored vinyl stock. Finished vinyl product is almost inert to action of oil, gasoline, soapy water, and air. Low-temp properties are good and the plasticizer has very high electrical insulation characteristics.

Description: The high-mw polymeric plasticizer is a water-white liquid. It goes on the mill almost like a monomeric plasticizer. When compounded at 50 phr in vinyls, the cured product has these typical properties:

Tensile (psi)	2800
Elongation (%)	235
Shore hardness	90
Brittle point (°C)	-15
Volume resistivity (ohm-cm x 10")	0.68
SIR (megohms-1000' @ 60°F)	56,000
SIC	5.8
Power factor (%)	10.2

(Morflex P-50 is a product of Morton-Withers Chemical Co., Dept. CP, PO Box 1618 Greensboro, N.C. . . . or for more information check CP 2382 on form opposite last page.)

Couples high solids concentration with fine particle size to make better self-polishing wax...

formulations require less plasticizer, yet form films that are more flexible

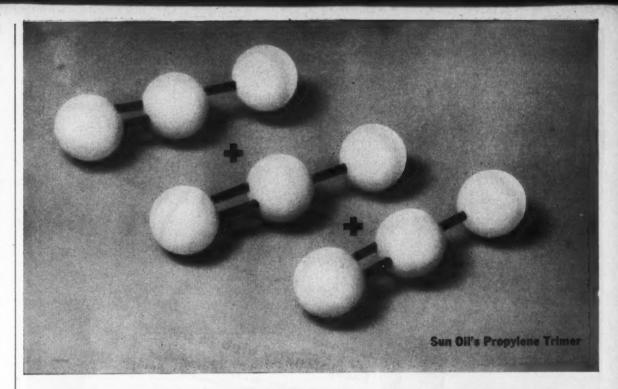
Uses: For the preparation of self-polishing floor waxes.

Features: In addition to an extremely fine particle size, emulsion contains a high concentration of solids. Formulations require less plasticizer than emulsion's predecessor, U-2001. Films that are formed are also more flexible.

Tests show that gloss is maintained for a longer time than with U-2001, and that wear- and scuffresistance are improved. The newer emulsion also provides better leveling and has superior freezethaw stability.

Description: Called U-2002, compound is a modified polystyrene emulsion. No drop in pH of diluted or undiluted emulsion was observed over a 60 day period at 50°C.

(Modified polystyrene emulsion is a product of Union Bay State Chemical Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 491 Main St., Cambridge 42, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 2383 on form opposite last page.)



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Terminal Olefins:

R-CH=CH2	51
R ₂ > C=CH ₂	12

Non-terminal Olefins:

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Remainder: 16
(Presumably tetra-substituted olefins)

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Specific Gravity			-	0	.7	35	1-4	0.7	7507
Distillation, 5%						2	65	F	min
95%						2	75	-3	05 F
Sulfur, wt, %						1	0.0	2	max
Bromine Number							13	35	min
Color, Saybolt .							2	21	min

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Uses: This raw material is used in manufacture of fibers, molding powders, leather finishing compositions, film, and coatings. Possessing two reactive groups, it is also a potential source of a wide variety of other products.

Features: Compound is capable of both self-polymerization, and combination with other substances to give various copolymers, which vary in mw and properties with substance used. A high mw product can be used to make synthetic leather. Polymers with an mw <1000, obtained by heating to 250°C with a secondary amine, are used as plasticizers, thermal-setting plastics, or intermediates for resins by reaction with formaldehyde, paraformaldehyde, acrolein furfural, adipic acid, or sebacic acid.

A good paint vehicle is formed when 85 parts of the compound condense with 124 parts of phthalic acid, 74 parts phthalic anhydride, and 84 parts of trimethylolpropane to yield products without gelation and that have much lower acid values than corresponding alkyd resins.

Description: epsilon-Caprolactam has the formula:



The white crystals have these properties:

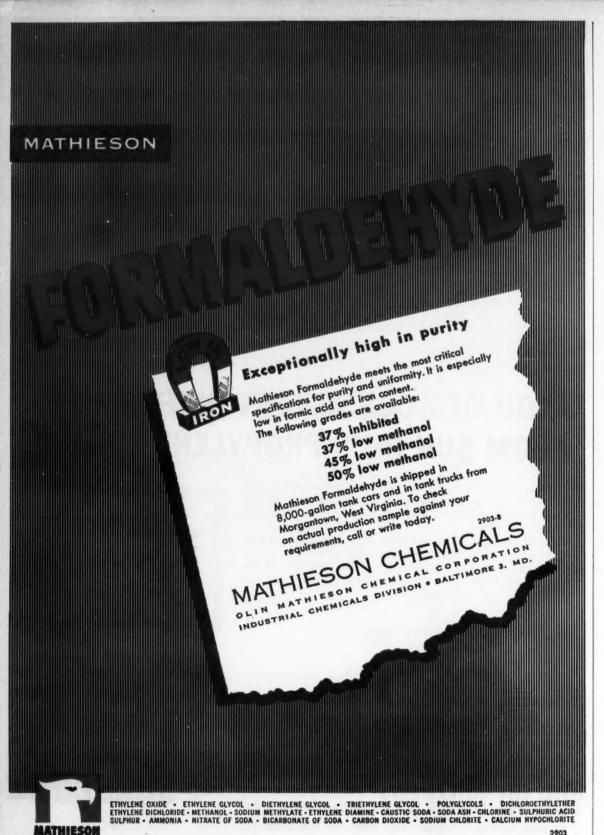
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Reaction with anhydrides of monobasic acids give N-acyl derivatives. With phthalic anhydride, a dibasic acid, 1-o-carboxybenzoyl-2 oxohexamethylenimine is formed.

 ε -Caprolactam adds to olefins by transfer of the active hydrogen attached to the nitrogen. Stoichiometric quantities of the compound and alkyl sulfates react to yield O-alkyl- ε -caprolactim. A sulfate is formed by reaction with H_2SO_4 in CCl₄.

Sodium and ethanol reduce it to hexamethylenimine. ε -Aminocaproic acid is formed by hydrolysis with superheated water. Paraformaldehyde and isocyanates also react with ε -caprolactam.

(ε -Caprolactam is a product of National Aniline Div., Allied Chemical & Dye Corp., Dept. CP, 40 Rector St., New York 6, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2386 on form which is located opposite last page.)



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Having problems with "fish eyes" in polyvinyl acetate paints? . . .

manufacturer states that this defoaming agent should cure them

As a defoaming agent for polyvinyl acetate-base paints.

Defoamer has been developed for Features: applications where "fish eyes" are a problem. It is free of this tendency. In addition, defoamer need not be ground in, but may be premixed with one of the constituents or dispersed directly into the paint at any time during the formulation. It is completely stable in storage.

Description: A clear, light-colored liquid, defoamer has these typical properties:

Freezing point (°C)	6
Boiling range (@ 2.5 mm, 10-90% range, °C)	180-260
Flash point (°C)	185
Sp gr (25°/4°C)	0.97
Free fatty acid (%)	0.3
Viscosity (cp @ 25°C)	161/2
Color (Lovibond 51/4")	11Y, 2.5R max

Formulas with 0.3 to 0.5% have been found most successful, but amount should be determined for each specific system.

(Eldefoam 400 is a product of El Dorado Division, Foremost Food & Chemical Co., Dept. CP, PO Box 599, Oakland 4, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 2387 on form opposite last page.)

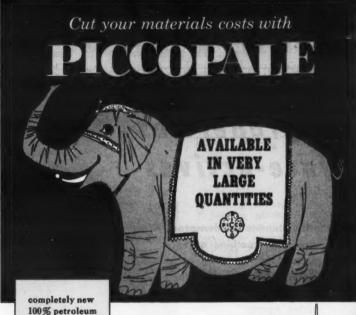
Analytical need of flame photometry served by calcium carbonate primary standard . . .

also can be used for Versene titrations

Calcium carbonate primary standard was developed to serve the analytical requirements of flame photometry and Versene chelating agent titrations. It provides an ideal calcium standard, especially for these uses. Purity of material is indicated by following analysis:

Test	Specification
Appearance	Fine, white powder
Odor	none
Sulfates (%, max)	0.005
Chlorides (%, max)	0.001
Nitrates (%, max)	0.10
Heavy metals (%, max)	0.001
Assay (% CaCo ₃)	99.95-100.05

(Calcium carbonate AR primary standard is product of Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, Dept. CP, 2nd & Mallinckrodt St., St. Louis 7, Mo. . . . or for more information check CP 2388 on form opposite last page.)



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High purity alkanolamides

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Fatty acid diethanolamine condensates in virtually pure form combine excellent wetting, penetrating, foaming, and dispersing properties — improve detergency properties of other surfaceactive agents Description: Super-Amides are fatty acid diethanolamine condensates containing up to 95% pure alkanolamide. They are supplied in three grades, with properties shown in the table. The products form clear gels in water at concentrations above 10-15%.

At lower dilutions they form hazy solutions or dispersions. Addition of small quantities of anionic or nonionic surface-active agents will bring complete solubility at these low concentrations and enhance wetting properties. Compounds are soluble in toluene, benzene, alcohols, glycols, chlorinated solvents, and Stoddard solvent. They are insoluble in mineral oil and kerosene.

A typical formulation for a car wash compound:

Maprofix TLS-500 or 513*	12.0%
Super-Amide GC	3.5
Neutronyx 600**	3.5
Water	81.0

* Onyx Oil's triethanolamine lauryl sulfate **Onyx Oil's alkylphenol polyglycol ether

CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS SUPER-AMIDE FATTY ACID ALKANOLAMIDES

Physical state	crystalline solid L-9	viscous liquid GC	viscous liquid GR
Melting point (°C)	approx. 45		rotteración - na ma
Color	pale straw	amber	straw
Concentration (min % alkanolamide)	90	75	80
pH (1% aqueous soln)	8.5-9.0	8.5-9.0	8.5-9.0
Sp gr (@ 25°C)	0.995*	0.999	0.998
Density (lb/gal)	8.30	8.33	8.32

Uses: In textile compounds as detergents, foam stabilizers, and dyeing assistants; in industrial cleaners as detergents and wetting agents and viscosity builders; in buffing and polishing compounds as wetting and dispersing agents and thickeners; and as wetting and dispersing agents, foam builders, and stabilizers, viscosity builders, and detergents in household cleaning compounds, shampoos, and bubble bath compounds.

Features: Containing up to 50% more amide than alkanolamine fatty acid condensates heretofore commercially available, the alkanolamides have high activity. The virtual absence of uncombined diethanolamine makes neutralization of the base unnecessary and thus avoids presence of electrolytes in final product. Furthermore, reduction

of the amount of fatty acids and soaps improves stability in hard water with a consequent improvement of foam. Detergency properties of other surface-actives are also enhanced.

Elimination of amino esters and amido esters as well as the piperazine derivatives presumably allows the full utilization of the foam-stabilizing effect of the alkanolamide. Manufactured from high-purity raw materials by improved methods, odors that were formerly associated with the alkanolamides are practically eliminated.

When used in combination with other surfaceactive agents, they impart outstanding thickening properties. They are particularly well adapted for use with fatty alcohol sulfates, alkylaryl sulfonates, and the nonionics. Dissolve the ingredients in water in order given. Warm gently while agitating until clear.

A typical textile scouring compound would be:

Maprofix WAQ*	50.0%
Super-Amide GR	6.0
Water	44.0

*Onyx Oil's sodium lauryl sulfate

Dissolve the Maprofix WAQ in the water and warm to 60-70°C while agitating the solution. Add Super-Amide GR and continue agitation until a clear, viscous solution is obtained.

(High-purity alkanolamides are products of Onyx Oil & Chemical Co., Dept. CP, Warren & Morris Sts., Jersey City 2, N. J. . . . or for more information check CP 2392 on form opposite last page.)

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Wide variety of reactions possible with thiophene should raise demand

Uses being developed in plastics, resins, and photographic chemicals

Principal present use of thiophene is in manufacture of dyes and pharmaceuticals and in agricultural chemicals. However, chemical is expected to be used in plastics, rubber, resins, and photographic chemicals.

Features: Thiophene is a highly versatile heterocyclic sulfur compound, C4H4S, which undergoes a wide variety of reactions. Both initial commercial and semi-commercial uses as well as new developments are now under research throughout the chemical industry, and show promise of developing a larger demand for the compound. The prospects at the present time are good for successive reductions in price of thiophene from its present specialty level, should the demand continue to develop.

Reactivity of thiophene is similar in many respects to that of phenol, benzene, and certain unsaturated hydrocarbons. Compound is readily nitrated, halogenated, alkylated, metalated, acylated, aminated, and undergoes condensations with formaldehyde and maleic anhydride.

Manufacturer's subsidiary company, Index Chemicals in Houston, Texas, is now in regular commercial production. Index operates process under license from Socony Mobil Oil Company. An unusually high quality product is yielded from the butane and sulfur starting materials. Physical properties of thiophene are shown in the table:

Physical form	clear liquid
Purity (min mol %)	98.0
CS ₂ content (max %)	0.6
Engler distillation @ 760 mm:	
(98% between, °C)	83.0 to 85.0
Sp gr (25°/4°C)	1.056 to 1.059
Refractive index (npss)	1.5247 to 1.5267
Flash point (°F)	below 30

At the present time, manufacturer has no specific production plans for any one product derived from thiophene. However, manufacturer points out that under arrangements with Socony Mobil Oil Company, a substantial amount of technical data is now under review by manufacturer's research and development people. They expect that in the future they will undertake manufacture of products based on thiophene.

(Thiophene is a product of Sharples Chemicals Division, Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., Dept. CP. 3 Penn Center Plaza, Philadelphia 2, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2393 on form which is located opposite last page.)

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What strength caustic should you buy?

This new booklet gives facts every buyer should know about caustic soda.

It contains a handy nomograph to help figure for yourself whether 50% or 73% caustic is your better buy.

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The booklet also contains a nomograph for estimating your liquid caustic requirements for various process solution strengths; a table showing dimensions and capacities of the different containers in which Hooker caustic soda is shipped; and a list of points to look for when you're choosing a caustic soda supplier.

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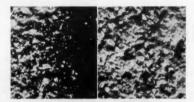
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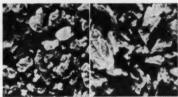
Leading pharmaceutical firms are among those who specify Hooker White when they want a highly pure starting

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- 3. Coarse grind (through 1 mesh, 25-35% through 20 mesh).
- 4. Coarse screened (through 1 mesh, on 20 mesh).

This material is a grayish crystalline solid containing 98.5% AlCl₃ in coarse sizes, 97.5% in fine sizes, with maximum iron content of 0.05%.

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- ☐ Muriatic Acid

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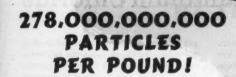
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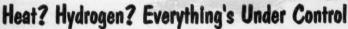
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Commercial-scale production of meta-xylene in purity of over 95% . . .

material is essentially free of non-aromatics Uses: As a chemical intermediate which should find many applications.

Features: A high-purity product is offered on a commercial basis. In general, the material is essentially free of non-aromatic hydrocarbons.

Description: meta-Xylene of 95+% purity has these typical inspection tests:

Sp gr (60°/60°F)	0.8649	
Color (Saybolt)	+27	
Acidity	None	
Flash point (Tag open cup, °F)	92	
Sediment	None	
Boiling range (°C)		
Start	138.5	
DP	141.5	
Water and sulfur (as H ₂ S or SO ₂)	None	
Cloud point (@ 30°C)	Nil	

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(meta-Xylene is a product of Oronite Chemical Co., Dept. CP, 200 Bush St., San Francisco 20, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 2396 on form opposite last page.)

Anti-caking, bulking, absorption uses seen for this low-particle size synthetic calcium silicate . . .

remains free-flowing powder even when it absorbs 1 to 2½ times its weight of liquids

Uses: For absorption of liquids, viscosity control, and as an anti-caking agent in fertilizers, insecticide dusts, cleansers, and detergents. It is also a bulking agent, pigment extender, suspension agent, flatting agent, reinforcing pigment, and an absorbent-grinding aid for high liquid concentrate insecticide wettable powders. Application in foods may also be in the future.

Features: Material can absorb 1 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ times its weight of liquids and still remain a free-flowing powder. This, coupled with extremely fine particle size, gives it anti-caking properties and insures flowability even after product storage. Uniform blends are made quickly and without segregation. Viscosities as heavy as a paste can be made by addition of relatively small quantities.

Among the high concentrate wettable powders which have proven commercially practical are 70% Toxaphene, 15% Aramite, 75% DDT, 50% Heptachlor, and 75% Dieldrin. Dry dust concentrates which have been proven commercially practical are 70% Toxaphene, 50% Aramite, and 50% Heptachlor. Savings in handling and transportation costs can be realized using this material.

Description: This line of synthetic calcium silicates is produced by chemical combination of lime

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High bulking value of synthetic calcium silicates (rt.) compared to equal weight of clay (I.)

and diatomaceous silica. Powder is available in specific grades which offer a range of properties:

Absorption (% by wt)	
Water	300-600
Oil	275-500
Bulk density (lb/cu ft)	5-15
Ultimate particle size (µ)	0.02-0.07
pH	8.0-10.0
Moisture (free, % by wt)	5-8
Refractive index	1.52-1.55
Available surface area	
(sq M/gm)	95-175

A white to off-white powder, product is available in developmental scale.

(Micro-Cel is a product of the Celite Division, Johns-Manville, Dept. CP, 22 E 40th St., New York 16, N.Y. Check CP 2397 opp. last page.)

Greater rigidity, heat resistance for polyethylene through patented catalyst . . .

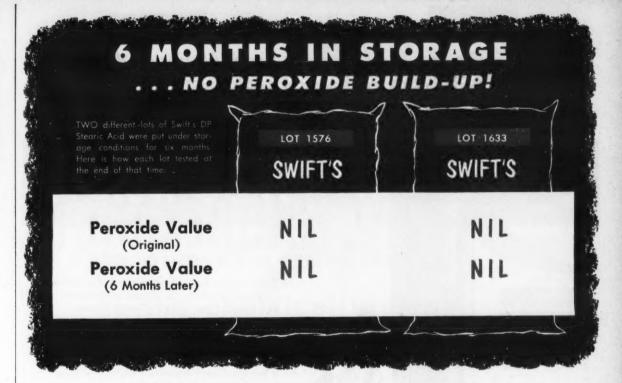
reduced fluid permeability permits wider use in industrial piping applications

Uses: Fabrication of industrial piping and other products formerly considered not feasible with polyethylene.

Features: Product has greater rigidity and heat resistance than conventional polyethylene. Fluid permeability has been decreased.

Description: Patented Ziegler catalyst allows polymerization of ethylene to give a high molecular weight polyethylene with these improved properties. It will be available, in limited tonnages, early in 1956.

(Hyfax polyethylene is a product of Cellulose Products Dept., Hercules Powder Co., Dept. CP, Wilmington 99, Del. Check CP 2398 opp. last page.)



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Peroxide value is a measure of oxidation. Where stearic acid is involved, oxidation is an enemy to the shelf life of your product. The results of the test shown above were important to us for two reasons and should be of equal interest to you for the same reasons:

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(2) Results of a ten week accelerated storage test carried out under identical conditions using fresh samples of DP stearic acid produced by five manufacturers showed the Swift's product to have the lightest color and greatest storage stability of all samples tested.

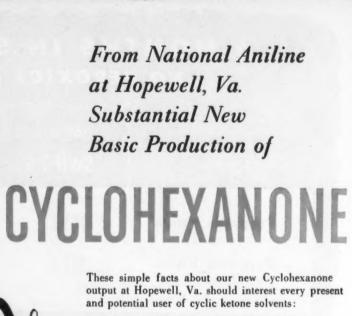
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Dihydrocholesterol in limited amounts . . .

acts as antimetabolite for cholesterol

Interest in dihydrocholesterol has been stimulated by investigations that show the compound acts as an antimetabolite for cholesterol. When included in diet of lab animals, it tended to decrease amount of cholesterol in blood and in various other body organs.

(Limited quantity of dihydrocholesterol (3-beta-cholestanol) is available from Special Chemicals Div., Winthrop-Stearns, Inc., Dept. CP, 1450 Broadway, New York 18, N.Y. . . . or check CP 2401 on form opposite last page.)

For more information on product at left, specify CP 2402 . . . see information request blank opposite last page.

Many uses seen for diphenyl disulphide . . .

insecticides, fungicides, rubber curing agents seen

Literature indicates that diphenyl disulphide has applications in field of insecticides and fungicides. Treating of conjugated oils with diphenyl disulphide reduces surface defects in films made from them. Compound has also been found effective in vulcanization of rubber and in stabilization of silver halide emulsions.

Compound has formula $(C_0H_0S)_2$, and comes as a white powder assaying 99% minimum purity. MP is 59°C (min). It is insoluble in water; soluble in ether, benzene, and hot alcohol.

(Diphenyl disulphide is a product of Evans Chemetics, Inc., Dept. CP, 250 E. 43rd St., New York 17, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2400 on handy form opposite last page.)

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makes processing of highly-loaded stocks easy

Uses: As activating plasticizers and processing aids for rubber.

Features: The processing aids speed up mixing cycle of the rubber, yet maintain a high level of hardness and stiffness in the vulcanizate. Thus, stocks containing high filler loadings may be handled with comparative ease. Dispersion of pigments and other ingredients is facilitated by use of the aids, and the cure is mildly activated.

Description: Called Poly-Sperse AP-300 and AP-400, agents are pourable liquids with sp gr of 1.05 and 1.03 respectively. AP-300 is more efficient as a plasticizer and imparts higher hardness and stiffness to cured stock. AP-400 is somewhat lower in cost, although with fundamentally the same action.

In highly loaded stocks, up to 20 parts on the rubber hydrocarbon may be used effectively. Some downward adjustment in accelerator content may be desirable.

(Rubber processing aids are products of National Polychemicals, Inc., Dept. CP, Eames St., Wilmington, Mass. Check CP 2403 opp. last page.)

Stress relaxation techniques to evaluate fibers covered

Stress relaxation techniques to evaluate the physical and molecular structures of natural and synthetic fibers are described in 233-page report. Included are stress relaxation behavior of nylon, Dynel, Dacron, textile rayon, and ramie in distilled water, hydrochloric acid, and, in some instances, in sodium hydroxide, sodium fluoride, lithium chloride, and other reagents.

A discussion of how contribution to stress support of intra- and intermolecular bonds may be separated, and related to internal structure of fibrous materials, by treating extended fibers with reagents of varying concentrations under a variety of temperatures is given. Various methods of interpreting stress-relaxation behavior of textile rayon are considered in addition to interpretations based on the existence of an order-disorder distribution.

To obtain report PB 111655, "Stress Relaxation of Fibers as a Means of Interpreting Physical and Chemical Structure", July 1954, remit \$6.00 direct to Office of Technical Services, US Department of Commerce, Washington 25, D.C.

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PHYSICAL	PROPERTIES

,	NM (Mitromethane) CH ₃ NO ₂	NE (Nitroethane) CH ₃ CH ₂ NO ₂	1-HP (1-Hitropropune) CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ ND ₂	2-NP (2-Nitropropose) CH ₃ CHNO ₂ CH ₃
Molecular Weight	61.04	75.07	89.09	89.09
Boiling Point at 760mm, °C	101.2	114.0	131.6	120.3
Azeotrope with Water, bp. °C	83.6	87.1	91.2	88.4
NP in azeotrope, % by weight	77.1	73.6	64.5	73.1
Vapor Pressure at 20°C, mm	27.8	15.6	7.5	12.9
Evaporation Rate, by volume*	139.0	121.0	88.0	110.0
Freezing Point, °C	-29.0	-90.0	-108.0	-93.0
Specific Gravity at 20/20°C	1.139	1.052	1.003	0.992
Density of Vapors (air = 1.00)	2.11	2.58	3.06	3.06
Weight per U.S. Gallon at 68°F, lb	9.48	8.75	8.35	8.24
Coefficient of Expansion, per °F	0.00064	0.00062	0.00056	0.00058
Refractive Index, np at 20°C	1.3818	1.3916	1.4015	1.3941
Surface Tension at 20°C, dynes/cm	37.0	31.3	30.0	30.0
Heat of Vaporization at 30 °C,				
calc., cal/g	143.3	124.8	107.3	104.4
Heat Capacity at 25°C, cal/g	0.422 ^{30°C}	0.441	0.471	
Dielectric Constant at 30°C	35.76	28.00	23.22	25.48
Ignition Temperature, °F	785.0	778.0	789.0	802.0
Flash Point, °F (Tag Open Cup)	112.0	106.0	120.0	103.0
pH 0.01M Aqueous Solution at 25°C	6.4	6.0	6.0	6.2
Solubility in Water at 20 °C,				
% by volume	9.5	4.5	1.4	1.7
Solubility of Water in NP at 20°C,				
% by volume	2.2	0.9	0.5	0.6
*N-Butyl Acetate = 100				

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NEPD (2-Nitro-2-ethyl-1, 3-propanediol)
NMPD (2-Nitro-2-methyl-1, 3-propanediol)

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Here are the Nitroparaffins – NM(Nitromethane), NE(Nitroethane), 1-NP(1-Nitropropane) and 2-NP(2-Nitropropane). These four NP's have a potential range of usefulness unequalled by any other group of organic chemicals! CSC's new Nitroparaffin plant at Sterlington, La. is now in full production. Additional facilities for increased volume of NP derivatives are nearing completion.

In many cases, they provide better and more economical methods of manufacturing well-known and widely used industrial chemicals. However, the majority of the reactions yield entirely new compounds. There is practically an unlimited number of products which can be prepared from the NP's. As solvents, they present an unusual combination of properties they are medium-boiling, mild-odored and, most important of all, they have strong solvent power for a wide variety of substances, including many coating materials, waxes, resins, gums, dyes, fats and oils, and numerous organic chemicals. The CSC Nitroparaffins are chemistry's newest stars. They give new direction to the production of old products and the development of new.



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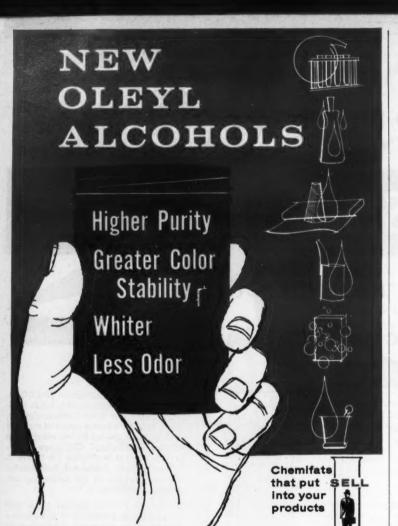
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MATERIALS

Compound used for making O-rings resists shrinking, swelling in many fluids . . .

formulation based on polymer suitable for service from -20 to +350°F

Recently developed synthetic compound permits production of O-rings that resist swelling or shrinking in many normally destructive organic fluids. Material shows little change in properties after immersion in diester fluids for periods in excess of one month at temperatures of 350°F. Compound shows unusual dimensional stability in high temperature hydraulic fluids, most types of petroleum-base fuels and lubricating oils, organic phosphates, and many halogenated fluids and solvents.

Basic polymer from which compound is made is dihydro perfluoro butyl acrylate, called poly FBA. This chemical is formulated into material suitable for temperatures ranging from -20 to $+350^{\circ}\mathrm{F}$ or higher. Material's flexing characteristics and suitability for fabric impregnation make it ideal for use in diaphragms. Seals made of compound have been dynamically cycled for over 50,000 cycles without failure in hydraulic fluids at temperatures as high as $500^{\circ}\mathrm{F}$ with over 3000 psi pressure.

Material has produced excellent results in a variety of field applications where hard-to-seal fluids are encountered. Top performance under such tough service conditions as sealing hot paint in a recent installation is one example of the use of the product.

(WJ-70 compound is product of Linear Incorporated, Dept. CP, State Road & Levick St., Philadelphia 35, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2406 on form opposite last page.)

(Poly FBA chemical from which compound is made is product of Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Co., Dept. CP, 900 Fauquier St., St. Paul, Minn. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 2406A on form which is located opposite last page.)

Aldehyde, peroxide formation inhibited by preservative in anhydrous ether

A preservative, sodium diethyldithiocarbamate, is now present in manufacturer's Ether Anhydrous AR in 0.05 ppm concentrations to inhibit formation of aldehyde and peroxide. Working hazards are thereby reduced, and high quality of the ether is protected.

(Stabilized anhydrous ether is a product of Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, Dept. CP, 2nd & Mallinckrodt Sts., St. Louis 7, Mo. . . . or for more information check CP 2407 on form which is located opposite last page.)

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Color, tinting strength, hiding power, oil absorption, dispersibility, ease of grinding, suspension, freedom from abrasion, reactivity — these and other essential properties of pigments and extenders are directly related to pigment particle size.

In Williams' synthetic pigments—Kroma Reds; Pure red, yellow, black and brown iron oxides; chromium oxides; and Albacar calcium carbonates—particle size is carefully controlled at time of manufacture. Oversize is eliminated. Each of these types is available in a broad range of particle sizes.

In natural pigments, Williams produces specially sized materials, including VVF red oxides, metallic browns, siennas, umbers, and Sparmite (super fine Barytes). Here again, oversize is eliminated.

Below are the ranges of particle size distribution covering Pure Red Iron Oxides and Barytes. Other pigment groups have similar distribution ranges.

Always use Williams' particle-size controlled colors and extenders—and be sure of uniformity in the properties essential to the proper pigmentation of your product.

% BY WT. BELOW INDICATES SIZE

Micron	Bunn Ba	d Oxide	Bary	
Diameter	Light		Sparmite	No. 1 Barytes
40	100	100	100	99.8
30	100	100	100	99.0
20	100	100	100	88.5
15	100	100	100	73.0
10	99.9	99.3	97.5	57.0
7.5	99.2	98.3	87.0	47.5
5	98.2	84.9	66.5	36.0
4	97.7	74.5	55.0	30.0
3	97.2	25.2	43.0	24.0
2	96.2	7.3	29.5	17.5
1	90.6	5.6	15.0	10.5
0.5	78.0	4.9	7.0	5.0

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surface-active agent is ethylene oxide condensate containing groups of anionic nature

Uses: As a surface-active agent for cotton, wool, and synthetics in mill operations such as kier boiling, desizing, in bleaching and scouring, and to raise crease and abrasion resistance of resinfinished goods.

Features: Agent has good wetting ability: it works fast and reduces surface tension of water to a minimum. Fully effective over a wide range of pH values, it is stable to caustic soda and sulfuric acid solutions in a range from zero to 10%. It is also stable to calcium and offers no chance for insoluble lime soap formation.

It is an excellent soil suspending agent and has easy rinsing qualities. There is no loss of efficiency from room temperature to full boil.

Description: Surface-active agent is an ethylene oxide condensate containing groups of anionic nature, and thus can combine the advantages of anionic soaps and nonionic detergents without their disadvantages. In nature, therefore, it is crypto-anionic — meaning, that while some anionic groups are present in the molecule, its outward properties and reactions are nonionic.

Compound is very easily dissolved in warm water. Clear, stable solutions are obtained up to 40% concentration, making stock solutions feasible. Not only is it stable in storage, but it is virtually non-corrosive.

(Sandopan DTC is a development of Sandoz Chemical Works, Inc., Dept. CP, 61-63 Van Dam St., New York 13, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2409 on form which is located opposite last page.)

Sintered metallic oxides for high temp ceramics

Series of sintered metallic oxides called Alite and based on aluminum oxide, are described in eight-page brochure. Background, physical properties, high-temp properties, chemical resistance, and applications in processing of these oxides are included. A number of charts and tables are given. Bulletin will be of interest to those investigating the usefulness of high-temp ceramics in mechanical, chemical, and electrical applications.

Bul A-7 is issued by Alite Div., The U.S. Stoneware Co., Dept. CP, 5300 Tallmadge Ave., Akron 8, Ohio. When inquiring about manufacturer's product reader may simply check CP 2410 on form which is located opposite last page.

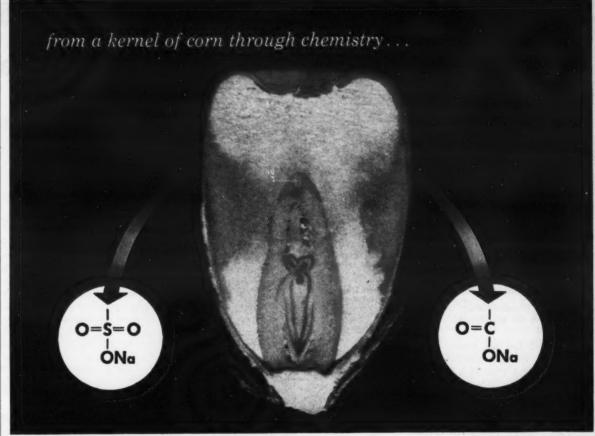


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- higher soil and grease repellancy
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It suggests these industrial uses:

- suspending agent
- stabilizer
- thickener
- sizing agent
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Would you like to know more about National's NU-FILM? Tell us about the use you have in mind. Our staff of starch technologists will be happy to work with you.



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Organic chemical outstanding for heat and light stabilization . . .

material acts as effective scavenger for HCl

Uses: As a heat stabilizer for all sorts of calendered and extruded stocks.

Features: Product is especially effective for its synergistic action in conjunction with manufacturer's metallic stabilizers to attain clarity and outstanding heat and light stabilization.

Description: Organic, non-metallic, viscous liquid is an excellent stabilizer. It acts as an effective scavenger for HCl and, as such, is a powerful auxiliary stabilizer for vinyls, chlorinated paraffin, and chlorinated rubber. Product has following specifications:

Sp gr, 20°C	1.060 - 1.070
Vis, 25°C	850-900 cp
Color (Gardner-Holdt)	2
Pounds per gal (approx)	8.9-9.0
Odor	Slight

Material does not present a fire hazard. Toxicity has not yet been established and due care should be exercised. Product is soluble in most plasticizers and lacquers. Material is particularly effective in presence of zinc stabilizers.

(Advastab XE-82 is product of Advance Solvents & Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 245 Fifth Ave., New York 16, N. Y.... or for more information check CP 2412 on form opposite last page.)

Dextrin compatible emulsions of polyvinyl acetate now available . . .

formulations have good borax stability, gloss, and pigment binding power

Uses: Adhesive and coating formulations for boxes, labels, cartons, grease-proof and water-proof coatings.

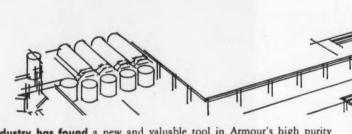
Features: Polyvinyl acetate emulsions have outstanding compatibility with a wide variety of dextrins, permitting more economical adhesive and coating formulations.

Description: Two 55%-solids emulsions are available: NeoVac V19N for adhesion under wet conditions such as grease-proof and water-proof coatings and NeoVac V29N for formulation of remoistenable adhesives used in labels, decals, and similar applications.

(NeoVac V19N and V29N are products of Polyvinyl Chemicals Div., Stahl Finish Co., Dept. CP, 26 Howley St., Peabody, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 2413 on form opposite last page.)

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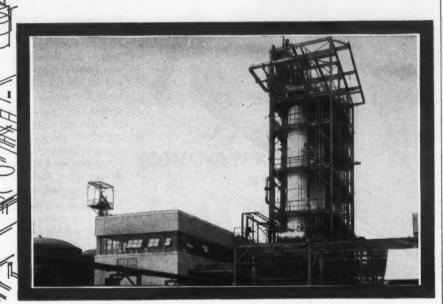


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Costly handling problems eliminated by silicone anti-foam agent . . .

low-viscosity emulsion pours readily and disperses instantly

Product has been designed specifically for use in aqueous foaming systems. It has already proved its effectiveness in chemical processing, synthetic rubber, adhesives, paper, textile, and soap and detergent industries.

Features: Major advantage of anti-foam agent is that it eliminates costly handling problems that have been associated with the use of conventional viscous, paste-type silicone anti-foam agents in manufacturing operations.

Description: Conventional silicone anti-foam agents designed for use in aqueous systems have been supplied as high viscosity emulsion concentrates. These had to be dispersed carefully in additional water to obtain emulsions of maximum effectiveness. Because of their consistency, a highspeed stirrer was required to obtain good dispersion. On the other hand, this product is supplied as a low-viscosity emulsion that pours readily and disperses instantly, even in cold water. It can be added directly to the foaming system or can easily be diluted with water to any desired concentration. Little or no stirring is required.

(Anti-Foam 60 is a product of Silicone Products Dept., General Electric Company, Dept. CP. Waterford, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2415 on form opposite last page.)

Increase bleaching effectiveness, inhibit corrosion and odor in sodium chlorite use . . .

formation of chlorine dioxide gas controlled by bleaching and stripping additive

As an additive in bleaching processes using sodium chlorite.

Compound increases the bleaching effectiveness of sodium chlorite. By controlling formation of chlorine dioxide gas to rate at which it is used in bleaching, additive reduces odor and corrosion.

Description: Surface tension is reduced in bleaching bath so that more uniform wetting of fabric is possible. Additive stabilizes any pH on the acid side and can be used on cotton, cottonrayon blends, viscose, acetate, acetate-viscose blends, Dacron, nylon, and Orlon.

(X-Tan-Assist is a product of Tanatex Corp., Dept. CP, Belleville Turnpike, Kearny, N. J. . . . or for more information check CP 2416 on form opposite last page.)



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Because white oils and petrolatums are specifically our business, we believe we have more to offer you-productwise and servicewise-to help you turn out a better product. Please feel free to call or drop us a line, anytime!

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Improve physical properties of paper products . . .

three resins impart characteristic properties

Scriptite 50, a water-soluble polyelectrolyte, is recommended as a surface size for paper and paperboard. It is easily applied by conventional methods, and under normal conditions requires no additive. Resin improves wet and dry tensile strengths of the paper, as well as MIT fold tests and Mullen tests. Porosity is decreased and printability improved.

Scriptite 52, another polyelectrolyte, is insoluble in water but soluble in aqueous alkali. A sizing agent, it increases water resistance and wet strength. Adding formaldehyde will increase these properties. Acid conditions and high temperatures do not affect these properties. Broke can be reclaimed by hydrolysis under alkaline conditions.

Scriptite 54 is a partial ester of a long chain resin containing carboxyl groups. It is insoluble in water, and soluble in alkalis and several organic solvents. Features are that it produces high resistance to water wet rub, and bleed. It also imparts high gloss, toughness, good adhesion, and good printability. Suggested uses include that of an adhesive in clay coating, as a topcoat on colored or coated paper, as a pigment binder on base coating, and as a glossy, water-resistant coating for decorative papers such as wallpaper.

(Resins for paper making are products of Dept. SO, Plastics Div., Monsanto Chemical Co., Dept. CP, Springfield, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 2418 on form which is located opposite last page.)

Up to four times stronger that's record of silicone insulating varnish . . .

> impregnates, bonds Class B and H electrical equipment - cured at 150°C

Varnish is used for impregnating and bonding electrical equipment for Class B and Class H service.

Features: On Class B equipment, it permits such improvements in performance as additional thermal protection when applied atop motor and transformer coils. It allows continuous operation of this equipment at hottest spot temperature of at least 25 to 30°C above normal limits for Class B insulating materials.

Tests on coils impregnated with varnish show it to be up to four times stronger at operating temperature than conventional silicone varnishes. Resin maintains superior room-temperature physical properties when tested at high temperatures.

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Description: Physical properties of silicone resin varnish have been greatly improved. Resin cures at 150°C as rapidly as conventional silicone varnishes cure at 250°C. Its low viscosity provides good penetration into electrical equipment and shows much less weight loss than conventional varnishes when tested at 250°C.

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Superior weathering characteristics and lighter color characterize two additions to the ultraviolet light absorber family.

Uvinul M-40, a cream colored powder, has high solubility in organic solvents. It is specifically recommended for stabilization of chlorine-containing polymers against degradation by UV light. Absorber shows superior heat stability when incorporated in resins and plastics. Color of 2% solution in methyl ethyl ketone is two on the varnish color scale.

Uvinal D-49, a light yellow to tan powder, is somewhat more colored but more efficient on a perpound basis. It is recommended where maximum degree of protection and permanence is desired for resinous and plastic films, coatings, fibers, sheets, and molded articles where complete absence of color is not required. Absorber has high solubility in solvents, such as toluene, and good heat stability when incorporated in plastics, paints, varnishes and lacquers. Compound is suggested for protection from fading of dyestuffs and pigments in polymeric materials. Color of 2% solution in methyl ethyl ketone is six to seven on the varnish color scale.

Typical Physical Properties	Uvinul M-40	Uvinul D-49
Melting Point (°C)	62-64	132-136
Solubility (gm/)	0.0009	at room temp) 0.0007
Ethanol	6	0.06
Toluene	52	4.5
MEK	60	7.7
Ethyl acetate	38	5.2
Staddard colvent	5	0.3

Protection to cast polyester sheets is as follows: Lighter compound at 0.25%, increased time of first color change of sheet when exposed in Fade-Ometer from less than 24 hr to 120-500 hr; the colored compound increased time to 700-1500 hr at some concentration.

(Uvinul M-40, D-49 are products of Antara Chemicals Div. of General Aniline and Film Corp., Dept. CP, 435 Hudson St., New York 14, N.Y. . . . or check CP 2420 on form opposite last page.)



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Herbicide formulations

Data are presented on formulations of herbicides that are specifically effective against the narrow-leaf species, particularly annual grasses. Two carbamate chemicals are described: IPC (isopropyl N-phenylcarbamate) and CIPC (isopropyl N-(3-chlorophenyl)-carbamate).

"Herbicides" is issued by Fairfield Chemical Div., Food Machinery & Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 420 Lexington Ave., New York, N.Y. When inquiring check CP 2422 on form opposite last page.

Selection of properties possible with trio of cationics . . .

surface-active agents should find many uses

Surface-active agents should prove useful as auxiliary emulsification agents, antifoam agents, dispersing agents, spreading agents, pigmentgrinding assistants, acid acceptors, and in numerous other applications.

Features: Products are weakly alkaline, cationic, oil-soluble surface-actives, varying somewhat in respect to other characteristics, such as solidification point, surface activity, and solubility.

Description: Called Alkaterge-A, -E, and -T, they are available in experimental quantities. Chemically, they are substituted oxazolines. Following properties were determined on material produced in the pilot plant and some variation may be anticipated until spec limits are adopted.

	Alka- terge -A	Alka- terge -E	Alka- terge -T
Color (Gardner, 1933)	7	7	7
Solidification point (°C)	-41	-50	59
Sp gr (25°/25°C)	0.883	0.924	_
Refractive index (nD25)	1.4631	1.4738	_
Viscosity (centistokes @ 100°F)	14.5	62	_
Interfacial tension against water (dynes/cm, 0.1% in mineral oil)	soln 24.6	18.1	1.8
Surface tension (sat. aq. soln, dynes/cm)	37.6	37.8	30.4
Flash point (COC, °F)	325	395	(none)
Solubility in water (ml/100 ml)	0.005	0.4	<0.01

Products are slightly alkaline in nature and it is recommended that frequently-repeated or prolonged exposure of the skin be avoided. However no cases of skin irritation or sensitization have been reported from any of these materials.

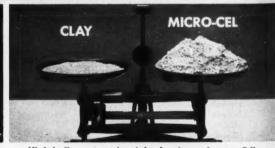
Since these materials are amine-type compounds,

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Absorbs up to 6 times its weight in water-Micro-Cel remains a free-flowing powder even after absorbing more than twice its own weight of liquid.



High bulk . . . loose weight density as low as 5 lb. per cu. ft.-Micro-Cel "fluffs up" any compound with a minimum addition.



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Check its different combination of properties...it may hold the key to lower costs and product improvements in your process formulations.

Johns-Manville's new Micro-Cel line can produce many desirable effects as the following examples illustrate.

Absorption of Liquids—Micro-Cel will absorb 1 to 2½ times its weight of liquids and still remain a free-flowing powder.

Uniform Dry Dispersion—Different Micro-Cel grades with particle sizes as low as .02 microns and particles of rounded to spherical shape provide fast, uniform blending without segregation.

Viscosity Control—Various degrees of viscosity up to a paste or semi-solid can be achieved by adding relatively small quantities of Micro-Cel.

Anti-caking Agent—Micro-Cel's high absorption and fine particle size of less than 0.1 micron effectively control caking of deliquescent products and insure flowability even after prolonged storage.

Bulking Agent—A small percentage of Micro-Cel materially increases the bulk of dry powders—allows control of package density.

Figment Extender—Micro-Cel's surface characteristics, fine particle size and large specific surface, combined with inertness, indicate its value as a pigment extender.

Suspension Agent—Micro-Cel's different combination of properties provides aid in suspension of heavier solids.

Flatting Agent—Micro-Cel's high absorption, fineness and particle shape indicate its value as a flatting agent.

Reinforcing Pigment—The combination of fine particle size, particle shape, and wetting characteristics suggests the value of Micro-Cel as a reinforcing pigment.

Some Proven Uses

Micro-Cel has already been proven as offering outstanding advantages as an absorbent-grinding aid for high liquid concentrate insecticide wettable powders, as an

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anti-caking agent in fertilizers, insecticide dusts, cleansers and detergents. Additional uses are being explored in Johns-Manville's Research Center.

Chemical Composition

Developed after years of research and experimentation by Johns-Manville, Micro-Cel is produced by the chemical combination of lime and diatomaceous silica under carefully controlled conditions. As a result, specific grades are available offering a wide range of physical properties.

RANGE OF PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Color									w	hit	0 0	or off-white
*Absorption, % by v	vei	gl	tit.									
Water												300-600
Oil							0					. 275-500
Bulk density, lb./cu.	ft.							٠				5-15
Ultimate particle size	, n	nic	топ				0			0		.02 to .07
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Moisture (free), wt.,	%											5-8
Refractive index												1.52-1.55
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*Will absorb 1 to 21/2 times its weight in liquid and remain a free-flowing powder.

Samples Now Available

Micro-Cel is now available for laboratory and production evaluation. Write to Johns-Manville for further data on your specific problems. An engineer from J-M's Celite division will be glad to work with you in adapting Micro-Cel to your own particular requirements. Mail coupon today.

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contact with copper and brass should be avoided in order to prevent mild corrosion of the metal and discoloration of product.

(Cationic surface-active agents are products of Commercial Solvents Corp., Dept. CP, 260 Madison Ave., New York 16, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2424 opposite last page.)

Ten organic chemicals

4-Aminopyridine, C₅H₆N₂, mp 154-155°C, reduces to 4-aminopiperidine, piperidine, and ammonia. It reacts with CS₂ to give 4-pyridylthiocarbamic acid. A variety of salts and double salts can be formed

Azuric acid, C₄H₅N₅O₃, mp 245°C, gives the murexide reaction on oxidation with chlorine water.

9-Bromophenanthrene, C₁₄H₉Br, mp 65-66°C and bp 360°C, can be oxidized and reduced. With Cl₂ and UV light, 9,10-dichlorophenanthrene and 2,9,10-trichlorophenanthrene are obtained. It may be nitrated in the 10 position. It forms a chemiluminescent hydroxy derivative.

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Ethyl pyruvate, $C_5H_8O_3$, bp 155°C, undergoes many transesterification reactions. With quanidine, it gives N,N'-dipyruvylguanidine. A phenylhydrazone can also be formed. Compound is very useful in biochemical investigations.

1-Hydroxyanthraquinone, C₁₄H₈O₃, mp 191°C, gives alizarin on fusion with KOH and forms quinizarin with NaNO₂ and H₂SO₄ in presence of H₃BO₃. It is reduced to 1-hydroxyanthrone. Complex metal salts can be formed with Sn, Co, Cu, Ni. Hydroxy group may be etherified with some difficulty: the methyl ether melts at 169.5°C. It forms many glucosides, among them d-araboside (mp 203-204.5°C). Derivatives are useful in analytical chemistry and biochemical research.

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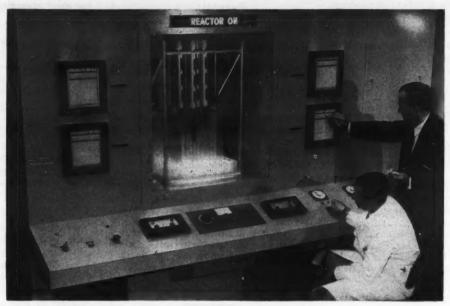
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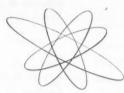
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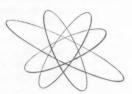
Operator here increases pile's operating level — as he moves the lever on control console, control rods in core model begin to rise

Authentic feel and standard instrumentation are built into simulator which . . .

trains reactor operators with no atomic pile



Produced by builders of the Geneva swimming pool reactor, simulator can be operated like a swimming pool, graphite-natural uranium, heavy water, or thermal reactor — and no radioactives are used



SINCE nuclear reactors are too expensive and too scarce to be used in operator training programs, a shortage of nuclear operators has developed. Cost of the Geneva reactor — roughly a third of a million dollars — is one reason why companies and educational institutions have not put more of these piles to work in training operators. Now, however, a simulated atomic pile has been built which is authentic enough in operation and "feel" to train operators. No radioactive materials are used in this simulator. Cost of the simulator is under \$20,000.

Officially called a "Nuclear Reactor Simulator Assembly", this device provides a scalemodel of the reactor core, a full-size control panel complete with instrumentation and controls. Model of the reactor is made of plastic. It is of the swimming-pool type, similar to the one exhibited at Geneva. Though only two feet high, it has the same appearance. Control rods can be operated in a model lattice. These are visible to the operator — an

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Actual simulator is less elaborate than demonstration model pictured in other photo — analog computer is mounted at center of panel, model of reactor core is shown below

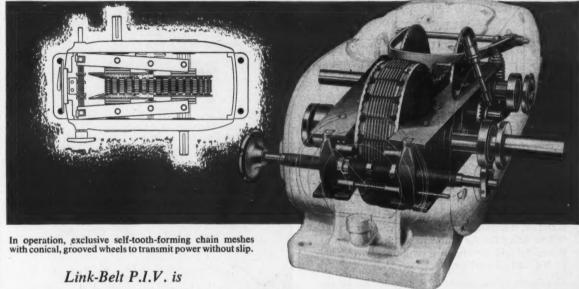


advantage over some atomic reactors where control room is remote from the pile itself.

As control rods are operated, conditions which would arise in the pile are simulated by an analog computer. This simulation is complete to the blue glow of the Cerenkov effect. Recording instruments on the panel, amplifiers, meters, switches and other usual gear are used by operator-trainees to run this simulator. Instead of actually controlling an atomic pile, these are connected to the analog computer which continuously solves differ-

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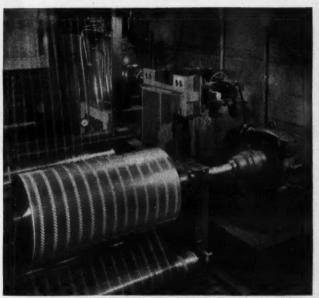
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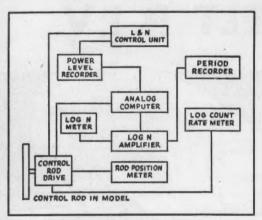


Diagram of nuclear reactor simulator unit

ential equations representing the kinetic operation of a nuclear reactor.

Using simulator, trainee can learn to start up, maintain, increase, and stop the chain reaction. While doing this he is able to watch operation of the model and see what real conditions correspond to his control settings.

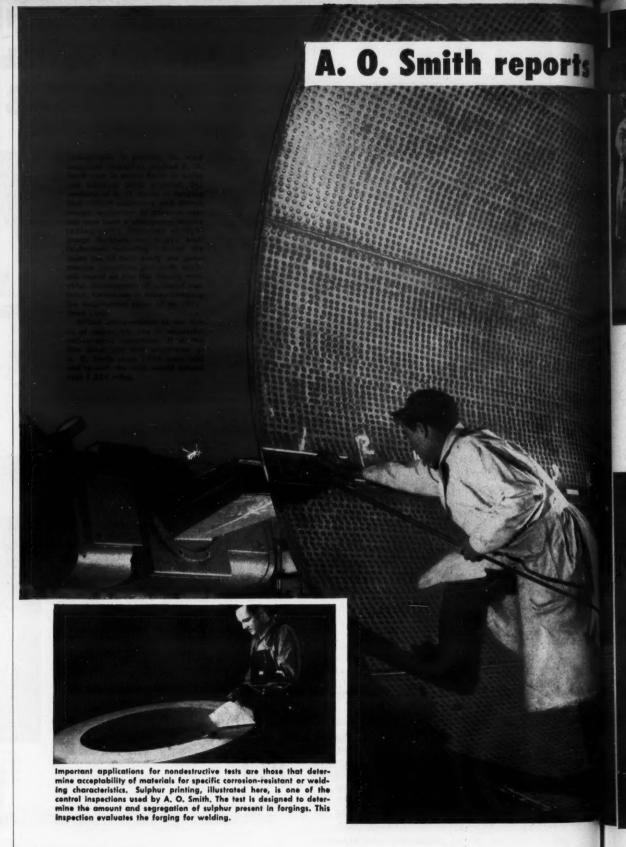
Simulation by the computer is so good that he can watch delayed neutron effects "on the way down" and integrating effects "on the way up." Simulator can also be used to test reactor instrumentation.

Simulator Itself

Consisting of two basic units (a plastic scalemodel of reactor core approximately two feet high and a full-size control panel complete with instruments and control) simulator does not occupy much space. Two electronic recorders mounted on panel show power level (from 0 to 120% rated power) and reactor's period (ranging from -30 to infinity to +3 seconds). Control panel also houses electronic analog computer, servo amplifier, logarithmic amplifier, power supply, related switches.

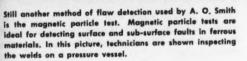
In starting up a reactor, trainee stands at the console and uses the same controls he would if he were actually handling a reactor. As rods of the reactor begin rising on scale model, rod position meter shows movement and Log N meter shows counts per second. At the same time, recorders are producing records of pile period and linear flux.

When trainee has brought reactor model to desired power level, automatic control takes over. Failure to judge various factors correctly, which might lead reactor to go beyond safe limits, automatically causes simulator to "scram" the pile—just as safety arrangements on a normal reactor would do. "Scram" emergency button on console



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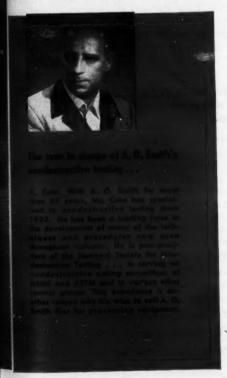






Ultrasonic testing (inspection utilizing high-speed sound waves) is another method A. O. Smith uses for quality control of heavy sections. The picture shows an additional application of ultrasonic testing — operator is determining wall thickness of 167,000-lb. vessel.

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is available for the same purpose.

Simulator is based on studies originally carried out by AEC. Its builders have provided instrumentation for a number of reactors, including the Geneva swimming-pool unit.

Control cubicle is 66" high, occupies 30 x 28" of floor space. Forward sloping shelf projects 12". Unit has wheels at rear so that it can be moved from place to place. Model of reactor core is a 2-ft cube and is mounted on a pedestal 32" high.

(Reactor simulator was designed and built by Leeds & Northrup Co., Dept. CP, 4901 Stenton Ave., Philadelphia 44, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2435 on form opposite last page.)

Second prototype of homogeneous nuclear reactor to be finished during early 1956

The second prototype homogeneous nuclear reactor for the US is expected to be completed early in 1956. Larger than its predecessor, the unit is designed to produce 10,000 kw of heat and is in nearly all respects a prototype of a full-scale nuclear power plant. Since future plans call for building nuclear plants in or near centers of population, important function of the new reactor is to demonstrate its complete

The reactor and its associated equipment are contained in a sealed steel box, 60-ft long, 30-ft wide, and 25-ft deep. Any leakage of radioactive material will be confined to this container. When equipment must be repaired or replaced, the container will be filled with water and hatches opened at appropriate spots in the top of the box. Workers will manipulate special tools through openings to make the necessary alterations under water. Water will protect men from radiation and also permit them to see what they are

The reactor itself consists of a 6-ft diameter pressurized sphere capable of containing 2000 psi. Inside is a pear-shaped vessel of zirconium, which is the reactor core. Solution of uranium fuel in heavy water is pumped through the inner vessel where the nuclear fission reaction heats the solution to 300°C. After leaving the core the solution passes through a boiler where it heats water to produce steam to drive a turbogenerator. Solution returns to core for reheating.

Space between core and pressure vessel will be filled first with heavy water and later with a slurry of thorium oxide and heavy water. Reactions with thorium will produce uranium U-233 which can be separated from the thorium and used as fuel in the core. The reactor will thus be able to generate its own fuel.

(Summary of paper presented at Geneva Conference on Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy by Dr. S. E. Beall and Dr. J. A. Swartout, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Dept. CP, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.)

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Although not all uses have been tested, product appears suitable for filters, maps, tracing paper, records, electrical tape, wallboard tape, packaging, and other applications.

(Nylon synthetic paper is product of Riegel Paper Corporation, Dept. CP, 260 Madison Avenue, New York 16, New York . . . or for more information check CP 2437 on form opposite last page.)

GE dedicates \$5 million metals and ceramics laboratory . . .

> part of firm's \$13 million expansion program for Schenectady research facilities

As part of its \$13 million expansion program for its research facilities, General Electric has recently dedicated a \$5 million metals and ceramics building at Schenectady, New York. Described as the world's most complete metals and ceramics processing laboratory, building measures 312 by 160 ft and has more than 75,000 sq ft of floor space. Objectives of the laboratory will be:

- 1) To ascertain and analyze areas of most critical need for materials and processes.
- 2) Develop new processes for new business.
- 3) Develop new materials to improve products.
- 4) Study existing materials and obtain better understanding of their properties and processing.



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5) Operate pilot plants and obtain economic data.

To maintain maximum opportunity for scientific interchange, ceramics facilities in the building have been closely integrated with those of metallurgy. An extensive area for ceramics formulation, heat treatment, and testing adjoins a similar metal-treating area. Although the company is not primarily a producer of metals or ceramics, virtually all of its products include these materials, and technical progress has depended on the performance of them.

(Information courtesy of General Electric Company, Dept. CP, One River Road, Schenectady, New York.)

Nuclear research program planned by Socony Mobil . . .

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A comprehensive program of nuclear research, aimed at investigation of new energy sources and improvement of petroleum refining and petroleum products, has been undertaken by Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc. The program encompasses:

- 1) Participation in a joint effort by eight American business enterprises in construction of the first nuclear reactor to be owned and operated by private industry for research in industrial and humanitarian fields.
- 2) Establishment of a nuclear research center wholly owned and operated by the company. In addition to "hot" laboratories and a "counting" laboratory, the center will include a Van de Graaff accelerator and associated facilities providing high-energy electrons, protons, X-rays, and neutrons for research in nuclear physics and radiation chemistry.

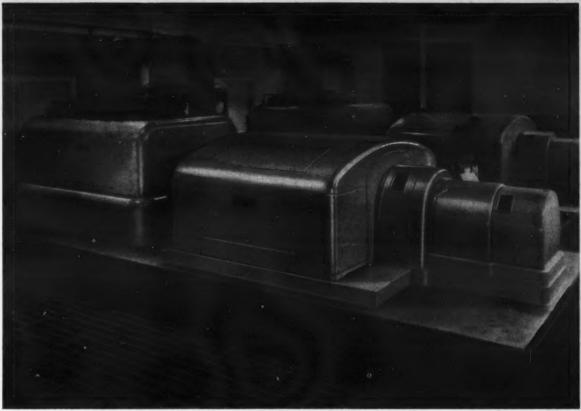
Construction of both facilities — reactor and nuclear research center — is expected to begin this year. Plans call for start of operations within a year.

(Information courtesy Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc., Dept. CP, 26 Broadway, New York 4, N. Y.)

Supplement deals with refinery air-pollution surveys

Supplement No. 2 to Volume II of the American Petroleum Institute manual on disposal of refinery wastes is now available. The new supplement deals with air-pollution surveys. Literature is available without charge to all holders of the fourth edition of Volume II.

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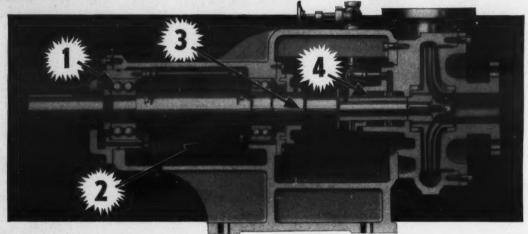


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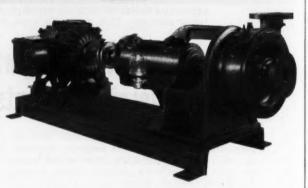


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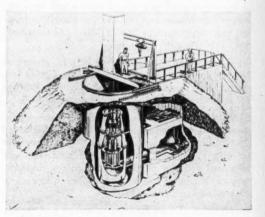
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Water-cooled reactor blows up, but tests show that they are safe . . .

conditions needed for explosion would probably never occur in normal use

Tests conducted during a two-year period at the AEC's National Reactor Testing Station in Idaho have shown that a properly designed water-cooled and moderated nuclear reactor, if allowed to get out of control, will automatically shut itself down before excessively high temperatures would cause destruction of the reactor. The series of over 200 tests is regarded as being of great importance to the future development of reactors for the production of electrical power.

Reactor, known as Borax I, consisted of a core assembly of plates made of enriched uranium and aluminum immersed in water inside a steel tank or reactor vessel. The vessel stood inside a larger, open tank, which was partially buried in the ground. Earth was piled around the protruding section of the tank for shielding. Reactor was operated from control station one-half mile away.



Cutaway drawing of reactor used in tests. Reactor core consisted of uranium-aluminum fuel elements and five neutron-absorbing control rods

Experiments simulated hypothetical reactor accidents in which the control rods, which normally hold the reactor power to a safe level, suddenly lose control and allow power to increase at a rapid rate.

The reactor was provided with five neutron-absorbing control rods, one of which could be ejected rapidly downward out of the reactor core under the influence of strong springs and gravity. Reactor was made critical (operating) at a very low power with this rod inserted to some pre-chosen position in the reactor, and with the remaining control rods (known as shim rods) more or less fully withdrawn from the core.

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of the tank was illuminated by a flash of light which originated in ionization and Cherenkov radiation as the reactor power reached a high value. Heat, liberated by the fissioning of uranium atoms, caused steam to form around the fuel plates and the resultant absence of neutron moderating water immediately reduced the reactor power to a safe, low point.

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Further experiments were conducted in which the power was increased tenfold in slightly more than a hundredth of a second. These experiments were mechanically more violent and caused expulsion of steam and water from the reactor tank. Water was thrown out of the tank to a height of about 30 ft, and the pressure in the reactor core arising from the rapid acceleration of water was sufficiently high to deform the fuel plates. Despite this mechanical damage, maximum temperatures reached by the fuel plates (about 640°F) did not approach the melting temperature and power was again reduced to a low level.

Upon completion of the experiments, it was decided that the reactor should be sacrificed in an experiment which would be violent enough to melt the fuel plates. The ejection of the rod required only about 0.2 seconds and the rod was about 80 per cent out of the core when the reactor power reached its peak value. Maximum power was in excess of ten million kilowatts.

Most of the fuel plates melted and the pressure resulting from the molten metal in contact with water burst open the reactor tank. The control rod mechanism was carried away and the remains of the reactor core were ejected high into the air. Most of the fuel element fragments fell within a radius of 200 ft around the reactor, and there was no appreciable radioactive fall-out at distances greater than a few hundred feet.

Although the reactor was destroyed, the explosion was relatively mild — comparable to that produced by a few pounds of TNT. The conditions needed to bring about the explosion were such that there is an almost negligible probability of this happening to an operating reactor.

(Summary of paper presented at Geneva Conference on Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy by Dr. Joseph R. Dietrich, Argonne National Laboratory, Dept. CP, P. O. Box 229, Lemont, Illinois.)

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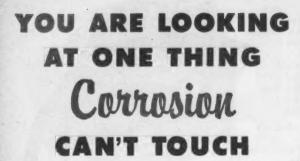
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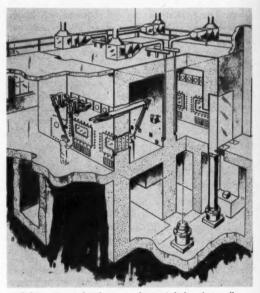
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Atomic energy research center begins operations . . .

first unit of Battelle's \$3.5 million project finished

Reported to be the first of its capacity built without Federal funds, the first of three major units in Battelle Institute's new atomic energy research center is in use. Known as the "hot cell" laboratory, it will be used to study effects of radiation on materials used in nuclear reactors and on handling and processing of nuclear fuels and other radioactive materials. Other two units — a power reactor development (critical assembly) laboratory and a swimming-pooltype research reactor — are expected to be completed by early 1956. Total cost of project will be about \$3.5 million.

The hot-cell laboratory has been designed and engineered for the safe handling of large quantities of highly radioactive materials. It consists of two cells having inside dimensions of 18 x 8 x 12'. One is designed to handle up to 10 million curies of radio-



Subterranean chambers are located below hot cells. These are used for storage and for experiments which do not need direct viewing

active material that emits gamma rays having an energy of one million electron volts. Other is designed for gamma radioactivity levels up to 10,000 curies.

Walls of cells are made of high-density concrete, 2 and 3' thick, clad on both sides with 1/2" steel. Windows are of high-density glass, and doors are of solid steel up to 18" thick and weighing up to 20 tons each. Manipulations within cells are done with a variety of remote-handling equipment. Most of equipment is mounted on portable tables to pro
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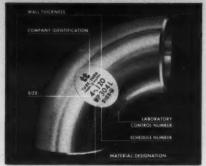
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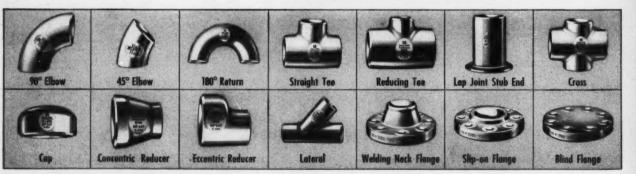
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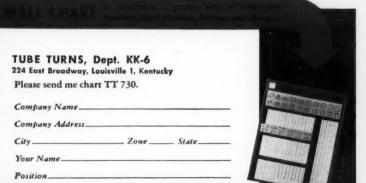
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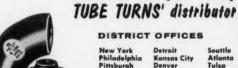


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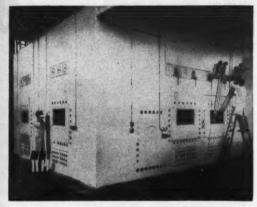
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vide flexibility in interior arrangement.

Subterranean chambers are located below the cells. Here radioactive solutions can be stored, and operations can be conducted that need no direct viewing or manipulations. Hatches in floors can be opened to make these underground spaces available for operation of tall equipment that cannot be accommodated in the 12' clearance of cells proper.

Associated with cells are decontamination room for



Hot cell has inside dimensions of 18x8x12'. Concrete walls are 2 and 3' thick

cleaning equipment, an underground storage area for solid radioactive materials, and a 14'-deep tank for storage and handling of radioactive materials under water. Building also houses general laboratory areas, machine shop, locker rooms, and offices.

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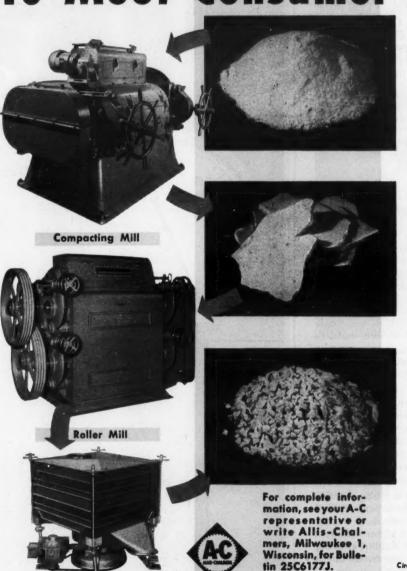
Tells role of temperature control in plastic working processes

Typical plastic working processes, and their dependence on temperatures, are described in twopage technical reprint. Use of temperature indicating crayons, lacquers, and pellets for determining the recommended temperatures is explained.

Reprint "Molding Temperature Control with Temperature Indicating Crayons" is issued by Tempil Corporation, Dept. CP, 132 West 22nd Street, New York 11, New York. When inquiring specify CP 2443 on form opposite last page.

For more information on product at left, specify CP 2444 . . . see information request blank opposite last page.

PROCESS SYSTEM Converts Fine Particles Into Granular Product To Meet Consumer Demand



Circle Sifter

Recovery operation starts with unacceptable minus 30 mesh chemical salt — fines created in original process.

An Allis-Chalmers heavy duty compacting mill is the principal component in the recovery system. The flakes or slabs illustrated are the result of mechanical densification in the compacting mill. An Allis-Chalmers two-pair high corrugated roller mill is used to granulate flakes. Final separation is made in the Circle sifter - an Allis-Chalmers gyratory screen. An 80% to 90% recovery of salable product is effected.

The resulting granules (100% minus 3 mesh and 100% on 10 mesh) equal or surpass natural product in every respect. Reconstituted product differs little from parent product in abrasion tests. Other tests have proved the compacted granule superior in controlled solubility. Granulated product is more uniform in particle size, flows more freely and has better "eye-appeal."

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Oil well output boosted 900% by electric heater . . .

melts paraffin barrier, opens way for steady pumping

Oil output from low-producing wells is expected to be boosted some 900 per cent by the use of a recently developed electric heater. The heating device literally melts its way through the paraffin barrier found in most low-producing wells, and opens the way for consistent pumping. The paraffin barrier is the gummy substance formed from the heavy, sludgy crude oil found in many wells.

Manufactured jointly by N. W. Curson Associates of California and the General Electric Company, the 18-ft long heater assembly includes six 80-inch Calrod heater units. Heater is sealed in oil-tight pipes which are enclosed in rigid conduit and lowered into the well shaft. One West Coast well is reported to have increased its production from five to 45 barrels a day by use of the heater.

(Information courtesy of General Electric Company, Dept. CP, One River Road, Schenectady 5, New York.)

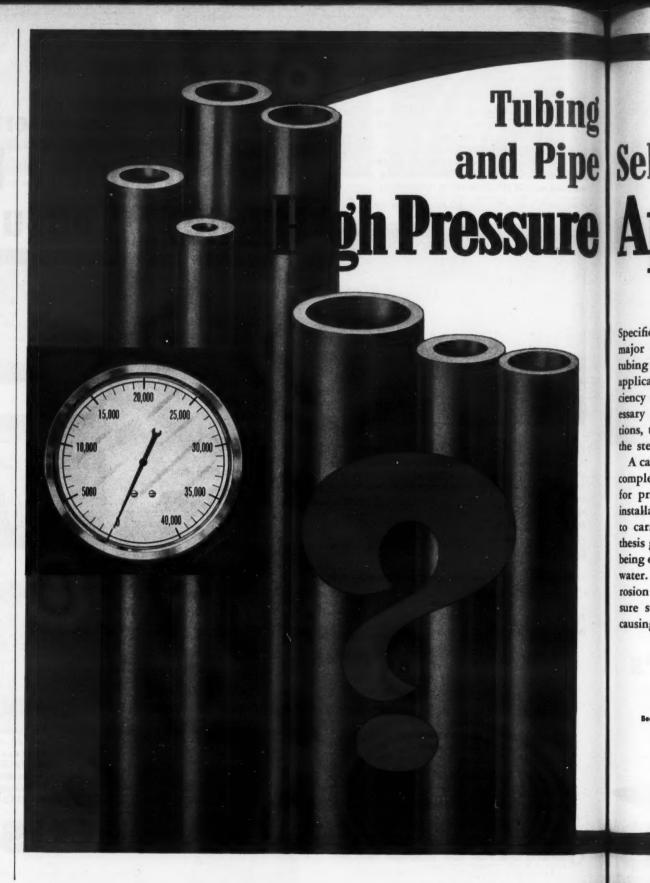
Fiber metallurgy may prompt new uses for metals

New metallurgical process, known as "fiber metallurgy", may lead to new uses for metals. Process is similar to powder metallurgy except for the use of short metal fibers as the starting material — a bulk starting form of metal heretofore not used. Products made by the process have a wide range of porosities combined with relatively high strength and toughness. Proposed applications include filter materials and additives to plastics, catalyst masses, ceramics, and friction materials. Aeronautical uses are also anticipated.

Properties of fiber metal bodies can be adjusted by controlling methods of manufacture. For instance, the selection of proper wire diameter and length can be very important in developing the desired properties. Tests conducted to compare tensile and impact strength of fiber and powder metallurgy products have shown that the fiber bodies have some significant advantages over powder products.

Fiber bodies also lend themselves to felting processes similar to Fourdrinier process used in paper making. Felted material can be sintered, coined, or impregnated. It can also be pressed to a higher density, if desired. To improve strength and ductility, a brazing material having a lower melting temperature can be added after suitable heat treatment.

(Fiber metallurgy process is available on a license basis from Armour Research Foundation, Illinois Institute of Technology, Dept. CP, 10 W. 35th St., Chicago 16, Ill. Check CP 2446 opp. last page.)



Selection for Applications

Specific working pressure is one of the major considerations in the choice of tubing or pipe for a given fluid-handling application. To obtain optimum efficiency and economy, however, it is necessary to consider temperature conditions, tube size, mechanical strength of the steel, and corrosion hazards.

A case in point that clearly shows the complexity of selecting the right tubing for pressure applications involved the installation of a stabilized stainless steel to carry methanol and unreacted synthesis gases at 300 F and 5000 psi while being exposed to chloride-bearing bayou water. This exposure caused pitting corrosion which, in turn, localized the pressure stresses at the roots of the pits causing, eventually, failure by stress

corrosion. To effectively solve this costly problem, B&W with its long experience in all phases of tubing applications, helped in selection of B&W Croloy 5. This choice provided increased resistance to the pitting while meeting the temperature and pressure factors satisfactorily and at a substantial savings in material cost.

It takes an expert to specify the optimum tubing or pipe for any particular application. And there is no substitute for the kind of experience with such problems that you will find at B&W. To get the most benefit from B&W's long experience in matching tubes and piping to jobs—call on Mr. Tubes, your nearby B&W Tube Representative. Or write for Bulletin 6.

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Positive -working metal plates prepared in 10 minutes by xerography

Positive-working metal offset plates can be prepared in about 10 minutes by process involving use of xerography. Since no negative, masking, or opaquing is required, monetary savings of 60 per cent have been reported over conventional methods requiring photographic negatives and darkrooms.

Key to the new process is an inexpensive 10x15" translucent film (called a Xerox trans-positive sheet) onto which any type of original document may be copied by xerography. Sheet, in effect a positive film, is then transposed on a positive working, pre-senitized metal plate, and both are exposed to ultra-violet light.



Translucent xerographic copy of original document is used as intermediate in speedy new process for making positive-working metal plates

Light acts upon the sensitized coating in all areas of the plate except those shielded by the opaqueness of the image in the sheet. After exposure, the metal plate is developed and finished with fluids. It is then ready for use on the offset duplicator.

Xerography has been widely used for quite some time. It is a clean, fast, dry, electrostatic way of copying, with photographic accuracy, anything written, printed, typed, or drawn. It is used to prepare paper as well as metal masters for offset duplicators and translucent intermediates for diazo-type machines. Since standard xerography equipment is used in the new method, it extends the use of existing facilities where xerography has already been installed.

(Xerox equipment and supplies are products of The Haloid Company, Dept. CP, 55 Haloid Street, Rochester 3, N.Y. Check CP 2448 opp. last page.)

"Project Sherwood" in full swing

Major research efforts in controlled thermonuclear reactions are being carried on at AEC Laboratories operated by the University of California at Los Alamos, New Mexico, and Livermore, California. In addition, there are projects at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, and New York University.

Over-all program is known as Project Sherwood. It is directed toward possibility of controlling release of the great amounts of energy from reactions involving the fusion of light nuclei.

(Information courtesy of US Atomic Energy Commission, Dept. CP, Oak Ridge, Tenn.)

Acid regeneration unit solves refinery acid disposal problem . . .

produces 98-99% H₂SO₄ from sludge

Large sludge acid regeneration unit at Baytown, Texas, produces strong, white acid from any spent sulfuric acid, regardless of hydrocarbon content, and solves spent acid disposal problems of oil refineries within shipping distance. Although aimed primarily at serving refineries in Gulf Coast area, some clients thousands of miles distant are reported to have found it advantageous to ship their sludge by barge to the Gulf Coast.

Sludge acid is a by-product in manufacture of aviation gasoline, benzene, lube oil, kerosene, and other refinery products. The Baytown facilities offer a savings in capital investment on part of refineries by eliminating need for burners, hydrolyzers, and concentrators in treatment of heavy sludge acid.

In the regeneration unit the various sludge acids are first blended to produce a charge stock of suitable content for most efficient regeneration. Blended sludges are



Here are three of the rotary vacuum filters. Hoods and flues are Type 304 Stainless Steel.

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Stainless Steel hoods and scrubbers expected to last "indefinitely"

at AMERICAN CYANAMID COMPANY'S

Michigan City, Indiana, plant

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The scrubber. Made from Stainless Steel (including the draft fan), it is protected against internal or external corrosion.

THIS plant manufactures silica gel for use as a synthetic cracking catalyst in the petroleum industry.

The rotary vacuum filters are in use 'round the clock, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. When the equipment was originally installed back in 1951, they decided to use Type 304 Stainless Steel for the hoods because of the highly acid and corrosive nature of the filtrate. The hoods are still in perfect condition; and the feeling is that they will last "indefinitely."

The same goes for the Type 304 Stainless Steel scrubber, used to scrub waste furnace gases before discharging to the atmosphere. The fan is also made from Stainless Steel. The scrubber is out in the open, exposed to the weather, and is in fine condition.

Stainless Steel in these two applications has

eliminated the probability of periodic replacement of costly equipment. Further, it has eliminated the expense of annual painting. When corrosion plagues you, an application of Stainless Steel will usually give you more return

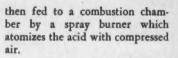
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Following this, the gases are dried, picked up by main blower and passed through heat exchangers. They then enter a converter where the sulfur dioxide is oxidized in the presence of a catalyst. From the converter the SO2 gas is cooled and sent to the absorbing tower where it is converted into 98-99 per cent acid.

Company has four units in operation at other locations.

(Acid regeneration unit is operated by Consolidated Chemical Industries, Incorporated, Dept. CP, 380 Madison Avenue, New York 17, New York . . . or for more information check CP 2449 on convenient Reader Service slip which is located on form opposite last page.)

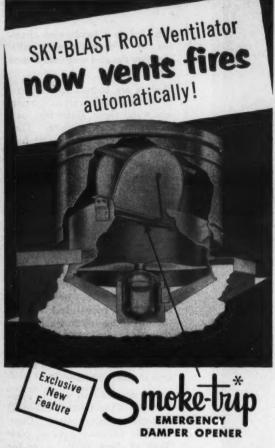
Research in minerals processing field

Research in minerals processing is outlined in 26-page illustrated booklet. Photographs depict the facilities and equipment available at research organization for conducting the work.

"Research in Minerals Processing" is issued by Battelle Memorial Institute, Dept. CP, 505 King Avenue, Columbus 1, Ohio. When inquiring specify CP 2450 on convenient Reader Service slip which is located opposite last page.

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Orders from Fire Marshall's headquarters were relayed by AC-operated transmitter

Could your plant direct fire fighting -in a real emergency?

Communications, vital in disaster survival, are frequently among the first casualties of a bad fire. At Whiting, Indiana, Standard Oil proved that foresight pays — mobile radio stations were the backbone of communication when fire knocked out plant telephones

Not quite three hours after the explosion of Standard's new hydroformer, fire ate into the main telephone terminal block, silencing the entire plant system. Thus two-way radio was assigned the entire task of providing communications, not only for actual fire-fighting but for all other operations in the plant area.

Normally, Standard's two-way radio system is used primarily for dispatching material handling and maintenance equipment and by Plant Protection. The system originally consisted of five control units, connected by telephone lines to a 250-watt base station atop the main administration building, thirty-six mobile units, mounted on the various vehicles and two portable sets.

Use of mobile radio for emergency communications was not a hastily conceived proposition. Standard had long kept in readiness a disaster control center,



Mobile units stationed throughout plant area immediately relayed Fire Marshall's orders, directed fire-fighting operations at the "front"

equipped with radio, area maps and stores of firefighting supplies. Although the radio system wasn't expected to bear the full weight of communications during an emergency, its part in fire control was mapped out well in advance.

When fire destroyed the telephone system, all five remote control stations were knocked out. During the rest of the emergency all orders were given directly from the Fire Marshall's headquarter by radio. At first, a mobile unit, parked outside, was used. Later, AC-powered sets became available, releasing the mobile unit for field service.

After explosion of the hydroformer, flames quickly spread to nearby tanks which had been punctured by flying fragments of steel. Soon rivers of burning oil were menacing other tanks. Calls for sand went to local suppliers. This was used for building dikes to stem the flow of flaming oil.

To direct sand truck drivers, unfamiliar with the plant layout, mobile units were spotted at key points to act as "traffic cops". Operators reported new outbreaks, requested fire-fighting equipment as needed and generally served as "eyes" for the Fire Marshall.

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W. M. Sprinkman Corporation of Milwaukee, designers and manufacturers of food processing equipment, recently changed to Marman V-Band Couplings on their entire line of stainless steel

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MOBILE RADIO

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One instance serves to illustrate the function of these mobile operators. Fire broke out in a tank vent in the undamaged Indiana Tank Field. This field, separated from the main section of the refinery by a highway, contains more the 30 storage tanks, and was near an evacuated residential section of Whiting.

Driver of the nearest mobile unit spotted the fire and broke in on traffic dispatching with a high priority request for fire equipment. Within four minutes this blaze had been extinguished and more equipment answering the call was diverted to other duties.

As the magnitude of the fire became apparent, additional radio equipment was ordered from the manufacturer. First units to be delivered - on a Sunday — were three AC-operated sets to replace the dead dispatching points. Later, five portable radiophones and 20 portable "pack" sets were pressed into service.

Examination of the Whiting disaster proves that a reliable, two-way radio system - and a firm, workable disaster plan - undoubtedly prevented more widespread damage and possible complete destruc-

(Mobile radio equipment at Standard's Whiting plant was produced by Motorola, Inc., Dept. CP, 4545 Augusta Blvd., Chicago 51, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 2455 on form which is located opposite last page.)



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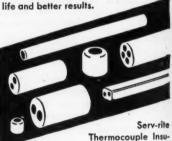
. . . of polyethylene eliminates acid burns and equipment damage caused by acid dripping down sides of lab bottles. Sleeves, first used on wine bottles, are now employed on CP reagent bottles.

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Novice fire-fighters aided by simple nozzles . . .

units produce all degrees of fog or straight, non-feathering stream

Uses: No. 711 is designed for use on hose rack and cabinet units. No. 1300 is primarily for use in industrial applications.

Features: Both nozzles supply all degrees of fog plus non-feathering straight stream. Model 711 functions well at low pressures.



Nozzles produce all degrees of fog plus straight stream

Description: Both units can be shut off by turning in either direction, thus reducing waste and water damage. Nozzles are approved by Underwriters Labs.

(Nos. 711 and 1300 nozzles are produced by Akron Brass Mfg. Co., Inc., Dept. CP, Wooster, Ohio. Check CP 2458 opposite last page.)

Light-weight flexible clothing aluminized to reflect heat . . .

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serves to provide protection from mild heat

Uses: Protection of personnel working near mild heat sources.

Features: Aluminized clothing is light in weight, flexible, and has good abrasion resistance.

Description: Designed for use where excessive heat and molten metal are not factors, clothing gives protection against mild heat sources at very low cost. Reflectiveness is about 60% compared with fire-approach or fire-entry suits. Composition is a glass cloth with an aluminized coating.

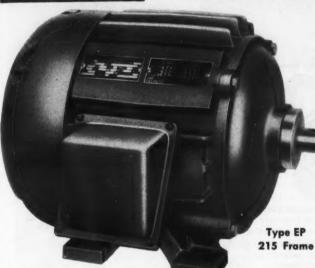
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Design incorporates temp compensation for superheat . . .

> safety valve with high capacity means fewer units

Uses: Over pressure protection for high-pressure, high-capacity steam generating units and related superheaters, reheaters, headers and lines.

Features: For superheater service, cooling spool and spindle having high thermal expansion coefficient are used to provide proportional thermal compensation.

Description: Line of valves is designed for pressures ranging to 3000 psi and temps to 1050° F.

Units are available with flanged outlet and either welded or flanged inlet. Sizes range from 2 to 4". Relieving capacity of valve is ASME certified.

(Model HC valve is product of Crosby Steam Gage and Valve Co., Dept. CP, 43 Kendrich St., Wrenthem, Mass.... or for more information check CP 2462 on form which is located opposite last page.)

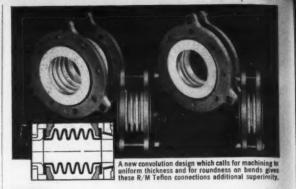
Provides sure footing despite uneven surface . . .

support device also saves wear on ladders — lessens stresses

Uses: Provides steady support for ladders on uneven terrain or irregular surfaces, eliminating makeshift leveling devices such as blocks or bricks.

Features: Mechanism locks in place as user puts weight on first rung. Can then be unlocked only by hand.

Description: Device attaches to any wood or metal ladder. Legs adapt themselves to any surface, permitting ladder to stand



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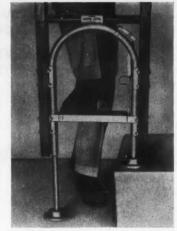
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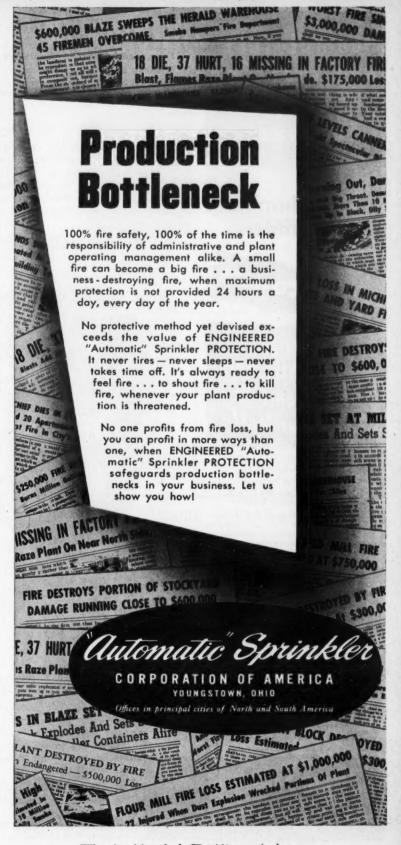
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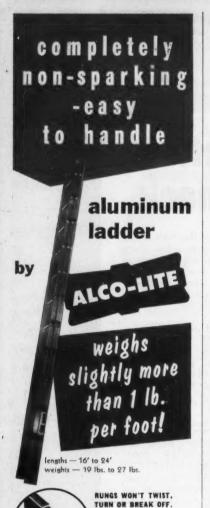
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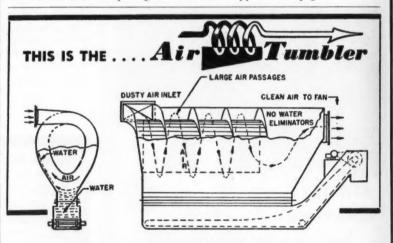
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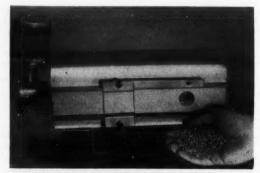


Unit, replacing vehicle's acoustical muffler, may be installed without major alterations to truck

Uses: Removes as much as 90 per cent or more of carbon monoxide and most of the aldehyde and hydrocarbon fumes in engine exhausts by catalytic burning. For use on fork trucks, power sweepers, and other vehicles to be operated in enclosed plant areas.

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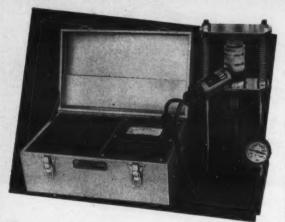
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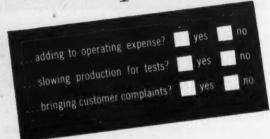


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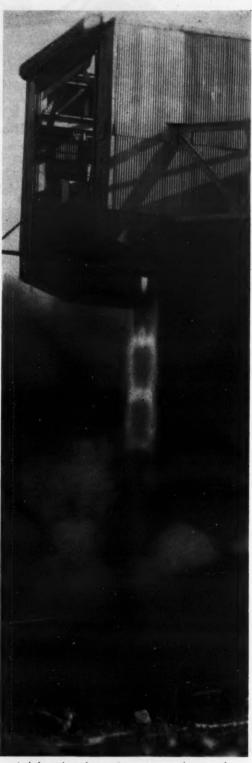
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Metering accurately despite

- wide flow range
- wild fluctuation
- corrosives
- extreme temperatures

By BRUCE FADER, Associate Editor with JOHN REDMOND, Facilities Manager Reaction Motors, Incorporated

Problem: Rocket engine testing is an exacting and expensive business. When Reaction Motors, Inc. puts a power plant in one of the test stands at its proving ground near Picatinny Arsenal, expensive chemical fuels roar through the system in pounds per second and tons per minute. With every second of test-run time this valuable, there's none wasted in "settling down." Steady state is something that lasts for a minute or less.

During a rocket test one or more of these liquids must be accurately metered: liquid oxygen, liquid ammonia, red or white fuming nitric acid, hydrocarbons, concentrated hydrogen peroxide. Liquefied gases run through flow meters at their characteristically frigid temperatures. Liquid oxygen precludes use of regular lube oils in direct contact with it because it explodes on contact. Furthermore, bubbles of gas in the liquids now and then can drive readings off scale or ruin delicate sensing elements.

First attack on this problem was made with conventional orifice flow meters. Gas build-up in tap flow meter lines from high-vapor-pressure liquids produced inconsistent data. In addition, visual averages of fluctuating readings were almost always high because of the square root differential pressure characteristics. Rotameters were also tried.

But for flow rates encountered these meters were

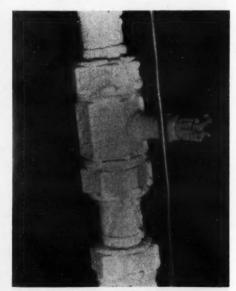
so large that they acted as heat reservoirs and boiled off liquefied gases. By 1948 RMI was experimenting with such messy schemes as mounting rotameters *inside* tanks of liquid oxygen and attempting to read them there during runs.

Solution: In 1948 a switch was made to a turbine flow meter element. Built in several line sizes, this element embodies a small propeller-like rotating member held axially in the flow stream. A magnet is enclosed in hub of the rotor so that rotor revolutions can be counted as magnetic field swings past an inductive pickup sealed in the meter's wall.

Output signal of this device is an alternating current whose frequency is linearly proportional to volumetric flow rate. While for most purposes a flow element is chosen to match the line size, a smaller unit can be mounted in a large pipe where needed for minimal flow rates without sacrificing signal strength or accuracy.

For most service in rocket testing, aluminum bodies with stainless impellers have been found satisfactory. One further material has been used in later models — Teflon. This has been added in an effort to provide self-lubricating bearings with a fairly consistent temperature coefficient. Lubrication provided by the Teflon has been found helpful in cases where large gas bubbles run through these meters — formerly the tremendous velocity of such gas surges were enough to burn out steel and roller bearings. Though this still happens occasionally with Teflon bearings, a considerable

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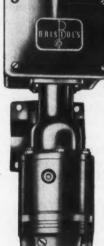
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improvement in reliability has been noticed.

Results: These meters have proved so satisfactory that they have become standard for this testing application. Linearity and excellent averaging characteristics have provided better than 1% accuracy at recording units.

While maintenance has not been unduly high, need for rapid flow meter replacement to meet changing specifications and the retention of high flow accuracy has led RMI to set up its own maintenance shop and flow calibration system for these sensing elements. Manufacturer does not recommend this procedure for most applications. Reaction Motors, Inc. finds that most maintenance effort on the elements results from repeated exposure to high-transient, short period operations normally encountered in rocket testing.

(Flow elements were designed and are built by Potter Aeronautical Co., Dept. CP, P. O. Box 532, Route No. 22, Union, N. J. . . . or for more information check CP 2486 opposite last page.)

Senses temperature accurately without amplification . . .

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Features: Accuracy is $\frac{1}{2}$ of $\frac{1}{6}$ of measured temperature between 32 and $\frac{600}{F}$, $\pm \frac{1}{6}$ from 600 to $\frac{1300}{F}$.

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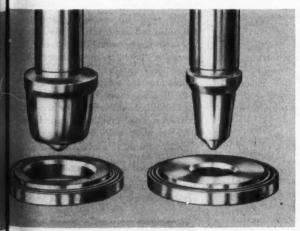
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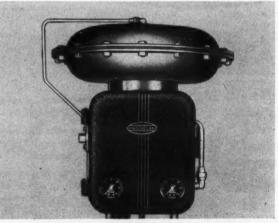


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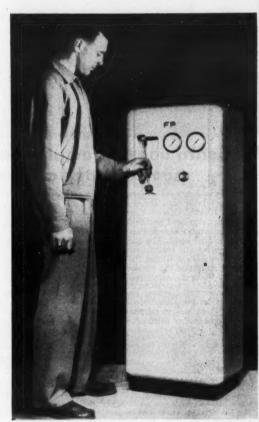
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hits accuracy of plus-or-minus four percent over five-to-one range

Uses: Addition of chlorine for purification of water supplies, sewage and industrial wastes.

Features: Unit has capacity of 0.1 to 1000 lb per day of chlorine. Hits accuracy of plus-or-minus four percent over five-to-one range.

Description: Chlorinator is vacuum-operated, with water flow through ejector assembly producing vacuum. Spring-opposed diaphragms regulate



Chlorinator weighs 70 lb, is constructed of corrosion-

flow of chlorine in vacuum system. Unit weighs 70 lb. Corrosion-resistant materials used throughout system include polyester-glass laminated cabinet, Uscolite tubing and regulator housing, silver tubing, tantalum plugs, Teflon valve seats, Kel-F diaphragms, and Monel bolts and washers. Highly corrosive chlorine-water mixture is not formed until chlorine has reached ejector assembly.

(Model 1050-A chlorinator is product of Fischer & Porter Co., Dept. CP, Hatboro, Pa. . . . or check CP 2489 on form opposite last page.)



Wheelco **Control Centers**



For continuous automatic temperature scanning and control

Continuous automatic temperature scanning and control can now be obtained with remarkable flexibility of arrangement and maximum space economy through use of Wheelco Control Centers. These versatile units offer many advantages including: improved performance of instruments; increased safety; and unpar-alleled accuracy. Shown above is one of six units recently installed in a large synthetic fiber plant. The control problem was sensing and regulating temperature of electrically heated shoes on draw twisting machines. Nylon yarn is drawn over these shoes to temper the material, and correct temperature is critical to the process. A total of 156 control points is covered in this installation. Each shoe is controlled by a thermistor sensing element operating through a single controller.

The temperature scanning phase of the system scans continuously at a rate of three seconds per point, over the sequence of 156 points. A thermocouple in each shoe is wired back to telephone-type stepping switches, with a numbered neon light on the control panel corresponding to each shoe. An abnormal temperature will light the neon bulb and actuate an audible signal, if desired.

This is one of many temperature control applications for Wheelco Control Centers. Your Wheelco field engineer will be glad to analyze your temperature control requirements to see where these versatile units can offer effective control.

"PLUG-IN" CONTROLLERS

These ingenious plug-in controllers are quite small in size, measuring only 3 by 3 by 4 inches. They plus into subpanels, and here 39 are mounted on a panel 30 by 36 inches. Each cabinet contains

Plug-in design connects each control unit to its power supply automatically when the unit slides into operating position. This assures a complete disconnect whenever the unit is pulled forward for inspection. All units can be locked in "disconnect" position.



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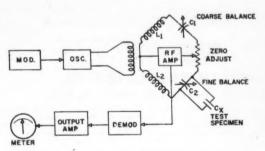
Uses capacitance change to measure moisture, position, strain . . .

> sensitive to 300 ppm moisture - can check vibration at frequencies from 0 to 20,000 cps

A relatively new device, this capacitance meter can be used wherever a measurement may be based on changes of electrical capacity, or mechanical movements which can cause capacity changes. Thus it will measure moisture content (based on the difference in dielectric constant between wet and dry materials), position of conductors, strain (where some electrical conductor can be made to move proportionally to strain), and so forth.

Features: Sensitivity is high. In use it has been found capable of registering changes as small as 0.001°C as a temperature indicator, one-millionth of an inch as a micrometer.

Basic circuit of this instrument in-Description: cludes a 450 kc oscillator modulated by 2.4 kc. Output is coupled into a split coil with half in each of two legs of a bridge circuit. Two capaci-



Basic circuit of capacitance instrument

tive legs complete the bridge. One of these is used as a coarse balance or range-setting control; the other includes a capacity cell used in making the measurement and a capacitor for fine balance. Zero adjustment of the bridge is made with a potentiometer which couples bridge output to a high-gain RF amplifier.

Once zeroed, bridge thus produces an RF voltage proportional to unbalance. This RF is demodulated, rectified, and metered.

Displacement and motion can obviously be followed if applied to one of the plates of capacity cell. Several cell designs have been evolved to make measurements practical. Thus for measuring strain in a specimen, for example, one side of cell is fastened to test member and second side or capacitor plate is fastened a definite distance from the first. As elongation or compression of the member takes place, corresponding changes in capacity can be read from the meter.

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Output applied to cathode follower to drive meter.



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Details on this new micro-sensitive meter are in Instrument Data Sheet 303-1, available upon request to Tech-nical Literature Section,

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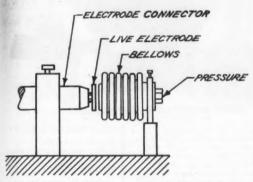
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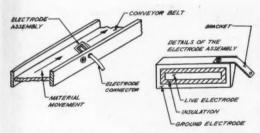
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Bellows converts motion measurement to measurement of pressure

Electrodes have been developed where grounded side of cell is concentric with an insulated center conductor. Such an electrode is suggested for use where moisture content of material is to be measured. Capacity between outer and inner conductors is increased as material with a high dielec-



Special electrodes are available for checking moisture content of flowing materials continuously

tric constant comes in contact with them. Since water has a high dielectric constant, it is easily measured against a low "background" dielectric constant. This scheme might also hold promise where alcohol or other high dielectric constant solvents were to be measured.

Manufacturer's literature explains operating principles and shows several special electrode designs which have been tested. Several more specialized uses are explored also.

(Proximity meter is a development of Fielden Instrument Div., Robertshaw-Fulton Controls Co., 2920 N. 4th St., Philadelphia 33, Pa. . . . or for more information about manufacturer's product reader may simply check CP 2492 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located opposite last page.)

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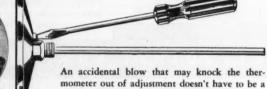
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(Model PM-20 Oscillograph is a product of General Electric Co., Dept. CP, 920 Western Ave., Lynn, Mass. . . . or check CP 2501 on form opposite last page.)

Switches to right scale as variable runs off

Uses: Produces strip chart record for scale ranges of 0-110, 100-210, 200-310 . . . 900-1010 millivolts.

Features: Maintains high recording accuracy over wide range of values because mechanism automatically switches between ranges whenever record trace runs off scale.

Description: Multi-range strip chart recorder has been designed for applications where accuracy must be maintained over a wide range of small voltages or currents. Range switching is per-

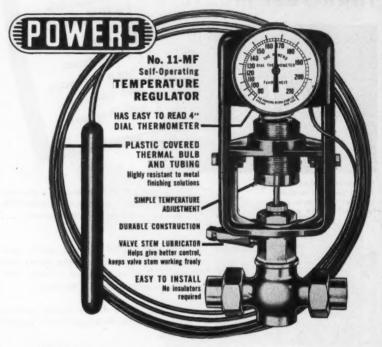


Recorder selects proper scale from ten possibilities

formed by limit switches at ends of recorder slide-wire so that correct higher or lower range is automatically selected when recording pen reaches end of scale. (Model 39 multiple-range strip chart recorder is a product of Applied Physics Corp., Dept. CP, 362 W. Colorado St., Pasadena, Calif. . . . or check CP 2502 on form opposite last page.)

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Uses: Controlling temperatures of cooling water for compressors, s mall engines, water - cooled rolls, small condensers, water-cooled bearings.

Features: Instrument is selfpowered and has single - seated valve suitable for use with water containing

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Description: Four standard adjustable models cover 60-110°F, 85-135°F, 110-160°F, and 135-185°F. Space between outer thermostat tube and packless bellows seal is filled with fluid giving uniform movement per degree temperature change. Valve head is stainless steel as are valve stem and spring. Valve seat is bronze and valve body is brass. Controls are available for water lines of 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, and 1".

(T-44 cooling controls are product of Sarco Company, Inc., Dept. CP, Empire State Bldg., New York 1, N.Y. . . . or check CP 2505 opposite last page.)

Explains pressure pilot theory of operation

Including diagrammatic sketches of pilot mechanism, 10-page bulletin in three colors explains theory of operation of gage for control pressure indication. Control action can be proportional, off-on, differential.

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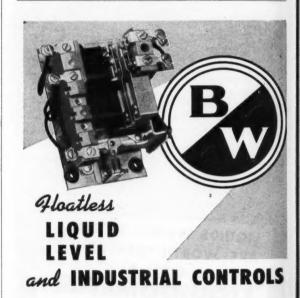
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Uses: Remote readings of tank contents where instrument panel space is limited.

Features: Instrument has 20" scale although overall size is only 3 by 101/4". Available for either horizontal or vertical panel mounting, indicator may be located up to 250 feet from tank unit.

Description:

Unit is component of automatic gaging system, consisting of an indicator and tank float, connected by length of flexible conduit containing

two hydraulic capillary tubes. Gage is actuated by self-contained hydraulic system. It requires no outside power.

(Indicator is product of The Liquidometer Corp., Dept. CP, 41-03 36th St., Long Island City 1, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2509 opposite last page.)



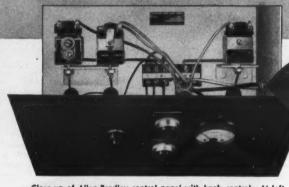
Instruments for every application . . .

can be found in CHEMICAL PROCESSING's section on Instrumentation and Control. The convenient page guide to instruments for your needs is the Product Directory beginning on page 218.





ALLEN-BRADLEY
AUTOMATIC MOTOR CONTROLS



Close-up of Allen-Bradley control panel with knob controls. At left is setting knob for thermostat control. In center, upper knob controls beater motor, the lower knob controls the compressor motor.

Side view of Eagle Custard Machine showing location of Allen-Bradley panel.

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Since temperature and pressure must be accurately regulated in custard production, Allen-Bradley Bulletin 836 high and low pressure automatic pressure switches are mounted on the control panel. For critical temperature control, an Allen-Bradley Bulletin 837 temperature switch with a manual adjusting knob is used.

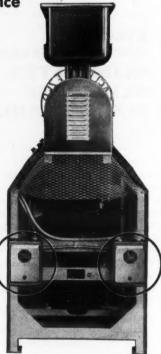
These three controls automatically open and close the two Allen-Bradley solenoid motor starters that are mounted on the back of the custard machine.

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Rear view of the custard machine, showing the Allen-Bradley Bulletin 709 automatic starters for the beater and compressor motors.

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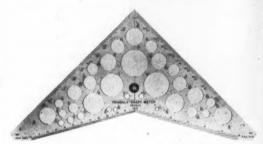
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(Triangle-Draft Meter is a product of Alvin & Co., Dept. CP, Windsor, Conn. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 2512 on form which is located opposite last page.)

Indicates fluid flow at 1200 psi . . .

sleeve magnetic-follower on outside of tube follows float motion and indicates flow rate

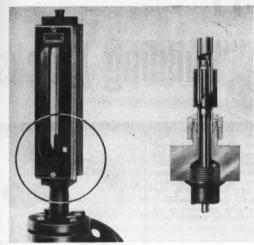
Uses: Metering fluids at high pressures, to 1200 psi at 200°F. Also suitable for opaque fluids.

Features: Magnetic follower is used for float indication of fluid passing through rotameter. All glass parts are eliminated.

Description: Indicator is bolted to any of manufacturer's metal rotameters. Rotameter float has extension tube which contains a special enclosure with a permanent magnet. As float moves up and down in the rotameter tube, magnet moves also. A sleeve magnetic follower on the outside of the indicator tube follows the float motion and indicates flow rate.

Indicator tube is satin-chrome plated and follower

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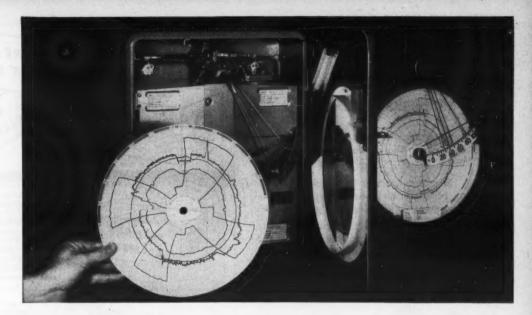
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Functions of three methods of electric control are explained. These are proportional plus manual reset, proportional plus automatic reset, and proportional-set average-position.

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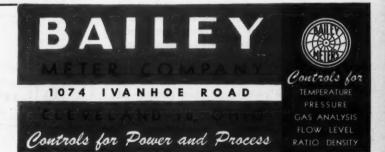
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Features: Variations due to pressure, viscosity, gas bubbles, solids in suspension, electrical conductivity or position of installation are eliminated. Flowmeter has no moving parts or restrictions to obstruct flow.

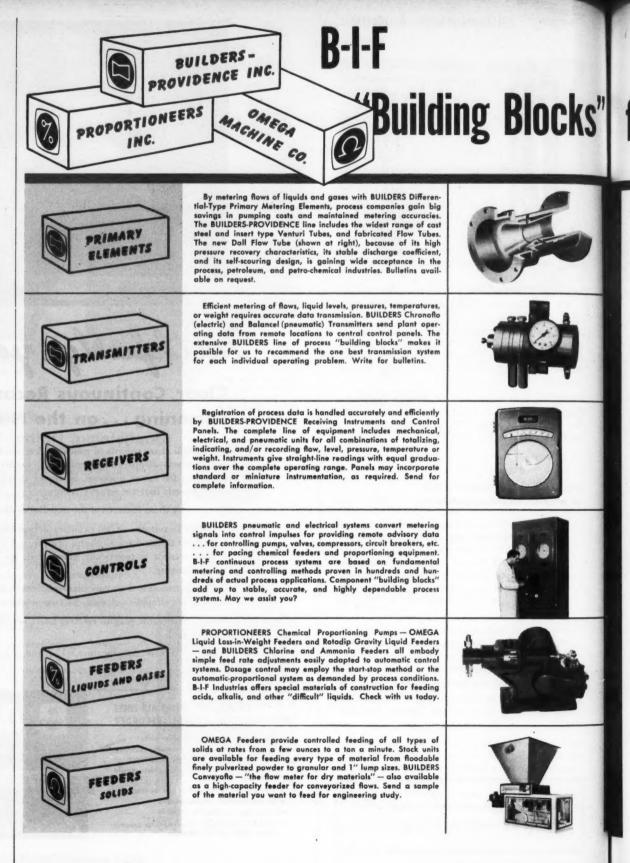


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In order to achieve this type of measurement, design employs a pulse generator (blocking oscillator), and amplifier. Pulses are driven both ways across pipe — from A to B and from B to A. Referring to diagram, a pulse headed downstream (from A to B) is aided by flow of material through the pipe. Thus its effective path is shorter than the true path from A to B. Conversely, pulse traveling from B to A must buck the flow and has an effective path longer than distance AB.

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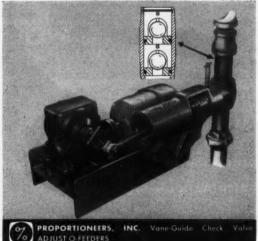


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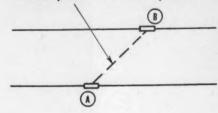
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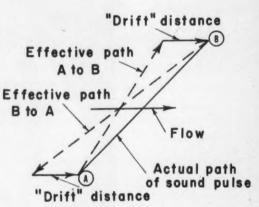
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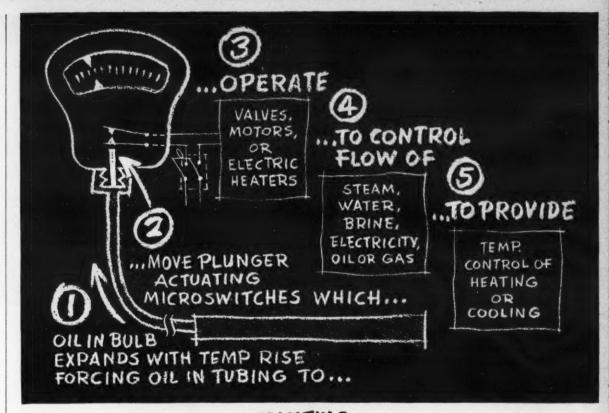


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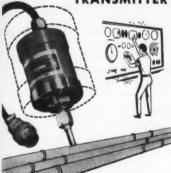
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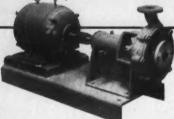
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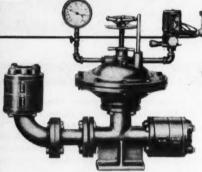
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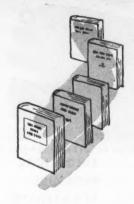
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The Chemistry of Synthetic Dyes and Pigments

Reviewed by JAMES OGILVIE
Supervisor, Dye Research
Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation

This monograph edited by H. A. Lubs, which is one of a series sponsored by the American Chemical Society, is intended to serve two principal purposes: first to make available to chemists a thorough treatment of the subject in form usable by persons working in unrelated fields, and second to stimulate further research.

Prior to World War II, the practices of dyestuff manufacturers were, for the most part, closely guarded secrets. After the Allied occupation of Germany, various governmental missions collected and published for general information the processes developed by the German dyestuffs industry and the availability of this vast amount of information was, according to the editor, an important factor in facilitating the preparation of this book.

It contains a wealth of information on benzene and naphthalene intermediates, azo, azoic, sulfur, anthraquinone, indigoid, phthalocyanine and miscellaneous dyes and organic pigments. It discusses the relationship of color and constitution and contains a very useful critical bibliography. In this reviewer's opinion, the use of electronic concepts and the discussion of unit processes under the independent headings of benzene, naphthalene and anthraquinone is praiseworthy. In this respect it is the best treatment of this subject published to date. The sections on pigments are very comprehensive and informative.

The promotion of the manufacture of dyestuffs requires a great deal of highly specialized "know-how" and a really informative work on their modern technology remains to be published. It is to be hoped that the nineteen very experienced contributors to this book will feel inclined to fill this great need.

Those skilled in the art will find this book very useful. However, no mention is made of outstanding discoveries not hitherto published and there is no broad discussion of the lines along which future developments should or are likely to proceed. The book is logically arranged, clearly printed, and the style is very readable, but one would occasionally expect a more critical treatment of this very dynamic subject such, for example, as a more explicit comparison of the merits of the methods given for the preparation of pyranthrone from methylanthraquinone and from pyrene, or a more categorical statement by the inventor-contributor of the fastness of anthraquinone oxadiazine vat dyes.

To obtain "The Chemistry of Synthetic Dyes and Pigments" remit \$18.50 direct to Reinhold Publishing Corp., Dept. CP, 430 Park Ave., New York 22, N. Y.

Organic Syntheses Collective Volume III

Reviewed by ROBERT C. KRUG Associate Professor of Chemistry Virginia Polytechnic Institute

"Organic Syntheses Collective Volume III" edited by E. C. Horning is a revised edition of annual volumes 20-29 of this famous series, is a companion volume to the first and second collective works, and has the obvious advantage of bringing many syntheses under one cover.

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duced. The syntheses are arranged alphabetically, and two or three different methods of preparation of the same compound may be found in some cases, e.g., tertiary-butyl acetate, β-naphthaldehyde and others. Those syntheses with an asterisk above the title deal with the preparation of compounds now commercially available; however, the only key to the meaning of the asterisk is given in the preface and referred to on page one. Such a notation could have been more prominently displayed, perhaps in the indices. One helpful change is the use of D-arabinose for the formerly employed d-arabinose.

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A laboratory ozonizer is described; however, the write-up does not mention the commercial, laboratory scale ozonizer now available (Welsbach Corp.). The preparation of sodium amine is given, although it could have been omitted since a similar procedure appears in "Inorganic Syntheses Volume II" and sodium amine is commercially available.

The book has a solvent and reagent index in addition to the usual illustration, formula, compound, reaction and general indices.

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Conversion Factors and Tables

(Staff Review)

Although there generally isn't a great deal to say about a new book of conversion factors and tables, this little volume might be of real value to someone who would have occasion to convert ardebs into kadaks (Egyptian) or maybe funts to luts (Polish). Besides foreign conversions, the compilers of this pocket-sized edition have included such diversified information as: color scale

conversions for liquids, foreign monetary equivalents, hardness conversion factors, and five place logarithms.

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To obtain "Conversion Factors and Tables" remit \$5.00 direct to Industrial Research Service, Inc., Masonic Bldg., Dover, N. H. Specify CP 2531 opposite last page.

Polarographic Techniques

Reviewed by D. S. DAVIS

Professor of Chemical Engineering Virginia Polytechnic Institute

Dr. Louis Meites, a generous contributor to the literature of polarography, has given us a 317-page treatise, which, though not exhaustive, is nicely suited to the needs of chemists in analytical, clinical, industrial, and biochemical laboratories. In nine chapters that deal competently with the nature and scope of polarographic measurements, instrumentation, limiting current, the current-voltage curve, half-wave potential data, the suppression of maxima, techniques of quantitative polarographic analysis, amperometric titrations, and special techniques he achieves a workable and theoretical introduction to the subject — no mean feat.

Skillful treatment is matched with detailed working directions that enable one to perform experiments that substantiate the theory. Trouble shooting in polarographic circuits share the 73-page appendix with half-wave potentials and diffusion current constants of inorganic substances. The book is amply documented with 433 references. To obtain "Polarographic Techniques" remit \$6 direct to Interscience Publishers, Inc., Dept. CP, 250 Fifth Ave., New York 1,

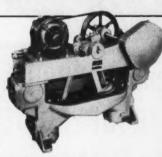
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corrosion control



By TED F. MEINHOLD, Assistant Editor

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Saran-lined pipe reduces shutdowns, cuts maintenance, and . . .

speeds rare earth production

Corrosion-resistant pipe handles dilute sulfuric, hydrochloric, dilute hydrofluoric, and phosphoric acid mixtures

Problem: When Lindsay Chemical Company decided to build its new \$2.5 million plant addition, engineers knew that improper selection of pipe could mean plenty of trouble and be quite costly. Nearly 25,000 ft of pipe would be required and most of it would be taking a severe beating — handling sulfuric, hydrochloric, hydrofluoric, or phosphoric acid mixturs of rare earth and thorium chemicals.

Temperatures and concentrations of the mixtures would vary. Sulfuric acid concentrations, for example, may vary from 2 to 50%, with temperatures going up to 175°F. Located at West Chicago, Illinois (about 35 miles west of Chicago, Illinois), company is largest producer of rare earth and thorium chemicals in US.

Solution: Based on experience in their original plant, Lindsay engineers selected saran-lined pipe and fittings for some of the toughest applications. Nearly 60% (about 15,000 ft) of the chemical process pipe in the new addition is of this type.

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Results: Engineers are satisfied with pipe's performance. Absence of leaks reduces shutdowns, speeds production, and results in safer working conditions. Maintenance costs on pipe have been low.

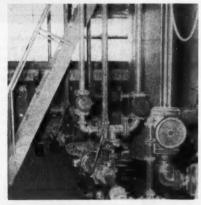
(For more information on saran-lined pipe, which is made by The Dow Chemical Company, contact Saran Lined Pipe Company, Dept. CP, 2415 Burdette Avenue, Ferndale 20, Michigan . . . or for more information check CP 2535 on form which is located opposite last page.)

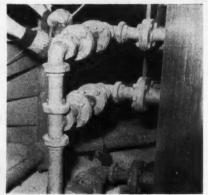
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Saran-lined pipe successfully handles sulfuric, hydrochloric, hydrofluoric, or phosphoric acid mixtures of rare earth a and thorium chemicals

Over 15,000 ft of pipe installed in plant's new addition is saran-lined





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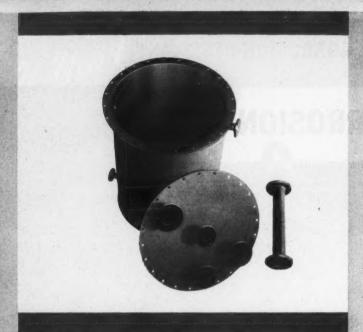


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The problem solved by lining the tank shown above with Fligid is particularly important because it is so wide-spread. Invaluable as an industrial bleach, sodium hypochlorite has a voracious appetite for just about every known lining or coating material. The bleach decomposes some on contact. It permeates others, raising gas blisters that force the lining away from the tank wall.

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CORROSION CONTROL

Resistance to gasoline, acids, alkalis given by concrete coating . . .

seals underground tanks and excavations

Uses: For sealing underground excavations and concrete tanks to provide a source of storage for bulk liquids.

Features: Coating is resistant to gasoline, oils, propane, butane, acids, ammonia, alkalis, and to most chemicals and solvents. Coating retains flexibility over temperature range from -65 to +300°F.

Description: Concrete coating is an emulsion of neoprene and silicone rubbers which together with other resins and compounding agents, cure to a tough film. In addition to concrete, satisfactory sealing can be obtained in limestone, sandstone, shale, and granite.

(Rock-Seal sealing coating is a product of Storage and Sealing Corp., Dept. CP, 826 Andrus Bldg., Minneapolis 2, Minn. . . . or check CP 2538 on form opposite last page.)

Humble refinery reduces corrosion of explosion-proof enclosures with above-ground manholes . . .

units also increase safety of electrical system at paraxylene plant

At Humble Oil & Refining Company's Baytown, Texas, refinery, above-ground manholes (Fig 1) for explosion-proof electrical enclosures serve the purpose of a manhole (where underground feeder cables are

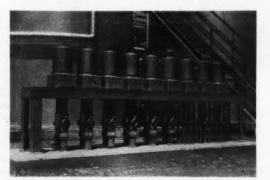


Fig I—Above-ground manholes in paraxylene plant at Humble Oil & Refining Company's Baytown refinery

spliced or tapped) without having a place for hazardous hydrocarbon vapors and water to collect and cause corrosion. Drain at bottom of each housing is opened periodically to remove any water that accumulates by condensation from the humid air. Condensation is minimized by breathers on top of



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Illustrated above is part of a new PLA-TANK Duct System which is typical of dozens being installed for fume exhauss in plating rooms, maintenance shops and chemical processing plants. PLA-TANK was chosen for the entire system from hoods to raincaps on the outside stacks.

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each unit which serve to ventilate each enclosure as temperature changes cause contraction and expansion of air inside.

Drains and breathers on the above-ground manholes do not impair the explosion-proof integrity of the electrical system. Underwriters Laboratories requirements for a Class I, Group D system are fully met.

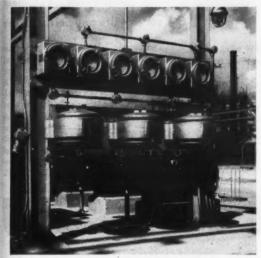


Fig 2—Rheostats, ammeters, and other instruments are enclosed in these explosion-proof housings

Above-ground manholes are used in Humble's paraxylene plant as well as in other areas. Refinery also makes extensive use of other types of explosion-proof enclosures (Fig 2).

(For further information on above-ground manholes and other types of explosion-proof enclosures check CP 2540 on form opposite last page.)

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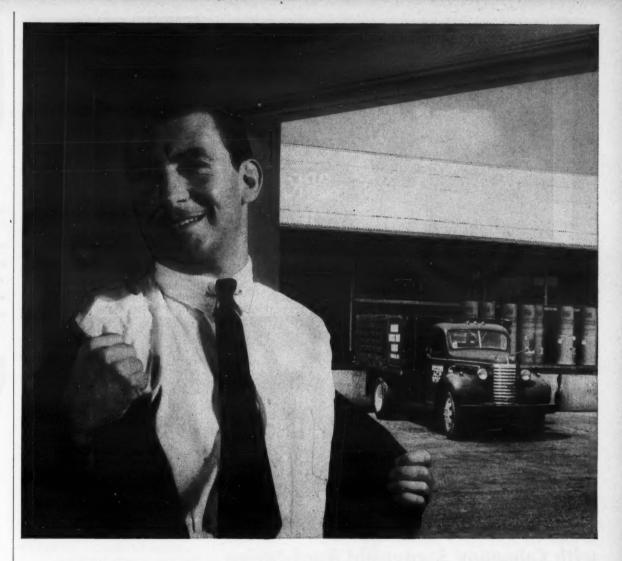
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can be used on electrical and electronic equipment

As a paste solder for use on electrical and electronic equipment.

Features: No corrosion develops from the flux residue. Material is easily applied, and any excess can be readily removed. It can be used for all delicate softsoldering operations as well as routine. Paste solder is creamy in substance and will cling to objects and surfaces other than in the horizontal plane. It can be applied with brush, spatula, or with a hypo-needle to hard-toget-at-places.

Description: Powdered solder is suspended in a non-corrosive flux that can be used with soldering iron, flame, oven, or induction heating. It cleans, tins, and solders in one operation.

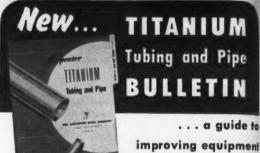
Active material has cleaning action, is not quickly dissipated, is inert at room temperatures, deliquescent to a very marked degree, and water soluble with very low ionization. It does not contain zinc or other chlorides.

(Non-corrosive paste solder is a product of Mico Instrument Co., Dept. CP, 78 W. Trowbridge St., Cambridge 38, Mass. . . . or check CP 2544 opposite last page.)

Tells how tin helps zirconium

Ten-page publication tells how a small amount of tin is alloyed with zirconium, providing protection from corrosion in watercooled nuclear reactors and, at the same time, not interfering with the chain reaction. Zircaloy-2, which was developed by Westinghouse, is discussed. This alloy contains 11/2% tin.

September 1955 issue of "Tin News" is issued by The Malayan Tin Bureau, Dept. CP, 1028 Connecticut Ave., Washington 6, D.C. When inquiring specify CP 2545 opposite last page.



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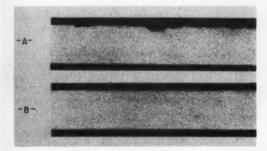
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technical paper also suggests other methods for reducing mercury corrosion

Technical paper covering recent research points out that damage to aluminum equipment contaminated by mercury can be decreased if the processing unit is heated in free air. For example, results indicate that almost 100% removal of mercury can be achieved in two or three hours heating at temperatures in excess of 200°C. Heating at 150°C for one hour removed 98% of the mercury. Steam at 150°C was found to remove mercury as well as air at 150°C. Cross section (A) of photo shows corrosion that occurred when a drop of 1000 ppm mercuric chloride



Comparable cross sections of:

A) 3003-14 contaminated with mercury

B) same but mercury removed by heating

Both exposed to 31/2% NaCl for one week

solution was placed on an aluminum specimen for a few minutes, rinsed, and exposed in 3½% sodium chloride for one week. Cross section (B) of photo shows an identical specimen treated in the same manner except that it was heated for four hours at 100°C after being contaminated by mercury and before being exposed to NaCl solution. Weight loss of the heated specimen was only 1/10th that of the unheated specimen.

For special applications where it is not feasible to heat equipment as outlined, chemical stripping treatments can satisfactorily remove mercury from aluminum and prevent corrosion.

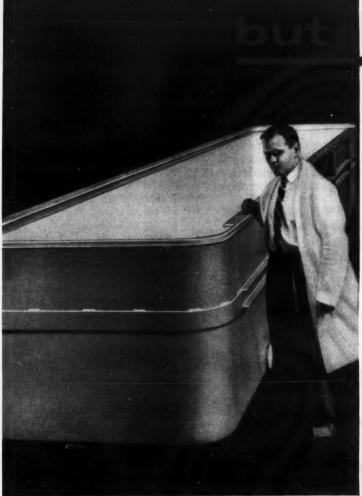
Research work also showed that aluminum picks up only negligible quantities of mercury in quantities below 0.1 ppm and probably does not accelerate corrosion at this concentration. Another result of practical importance is that the higher the purity of the aluminum, the greater the tendency for it to corrode in mercury-contaminated solutions.

(Condensed from technical paper, "A Radiochemical Tracer Investigation of the Role of Mercury in the Corrosion of Aluminum," by R. C. Plumb, Dr. M. H. Brown, and Mr. J. E. Lewis, Aluminum Co. of America, Dept. CP, Pittsburgh, Pa. Paper was delivered at the 1955 Annual Meeting of NACE.)

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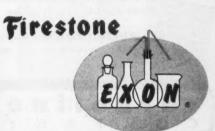
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For highly corrosive fumes, blowers are lined with Haveg...

units with housings molded of the plastic are also available

Uses: For handling a wide variety of corrosives.

Features: Blowers are designed for long service in corrosive applications.

Description: Blowers are available in two types, the first of which is constructed of cast iron lined throughout with 3/8" of Haveg. Haveg is a plastic containing phenol-formaldehyde resin and an acid-



This blower is lined throughout with 38" of corrosionresistant plastic

digested asbestos fiber. Plastic is used for the ring around the inside of the blower outlet. Wheel is also lined with this same amount of the plastic.

Second type of blower has a housing completely molded of Haveg. Blast wheels on both types are of the six-blade radial type constructed with a non-ferrous core coated completely with Haveg. All exhausters are equipped with heavy duty ball bearings. Shaft is thoroughly protected where it projects into housing. Housings are provided with a drain connection in bottom of housing. Blowers can be obtained in a wide variety of capacities.

(Champion-Haveg exhausters are products of Champion Blower & Forge Co., Dept. CP, Lancaster, Pa. Check CP 2550 on form which is located opposite last page.)

For better ways to whip corrosion . . .

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CHEMPRO'S Style 50 Machined Teflon* Jacketed Gaskets allow unimpeded flow of either liquids or gases. The machined Teflon jacket I.D. fits flush with the flange I.D. Ideal for equipment, valve and piping systems where corrosion resistance and noncontamination of liquid or gas are also required.

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- 3. Operating pressure and temperature of liquid or gas.
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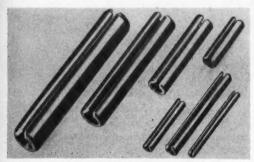
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High corrosion resistance, non-magnetic properties in copper alloy pin . . .

particularly useful where galvanic action is a design consideration

Uses: As taper pin, set screw, rivet, dowel, hinge pin, cotter pin, or stop pin for chemical handling equipment.

Features: Beryllium copper alloy is non-magnetic, has good electrical conductivity, and high resistance to corrosion. Particularly useful with other copper base alloy components where galvanic action is an important design consideration.



Pins are slotted chamfered tubular beryllium-copper

Description: Device is a slotted chamfered tubular spring pin, heat treated to achieve maximum strength. Each pin has a controlled diameter slightly larger than fractional drill size hole into which it is inserted. It can be easily inserted by hand or machine into drilled holes without special machining, tapping, and reaming operations. Pins come in sizes from 0.062 to 0.250" diameter.

(Rollpin beryllium copper locking pins are a product of Elastic Stop Nut Corporation of America, Dept. CP, 2330 Vauxhill Rd., Union, New Jersey or for more information reader may simply check CP 2552 on the form which is located opposite last page.)

Circular describes gate valves for corrosive service

Causul metal gate valves, designed for corrosive service, are covered in six-page circular. Units described are available in sizes from ½ to 8" with 316 stainless steel or Monel trim. Resistance of valves to a wide variety of chemicals is presented in tabular form.

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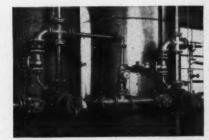
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flexible conduit resists scuffing, abrasion, and rough handling

Uses: Protection of electrical wiring in chemical plants, food processing plants, or wherever wiring is exposed to adverse conditions.

Flexible conduit utilizes an imper-Features: vious polyvinyl jacket as a seal against oil, moisture, fumes, chemicals, or other deteriorating sub-

Description: Unit has a flexible galvanized steel



Conduit connections require only standard fittings

core for strength. Combination of steel and plastic resists scuffing, abrasion, and rough handling. It requires no special tools for cutting and connections require only standard fittings.

(Flex-Seal is a product of Columbia Cable and Electric Corp., Dept. CP, 255 Chestnut St., Brooklyn, N.Y. . . . check CP 2556 opposite last page.)

Brochure includes 16 photos of plastic sewer lining

Two-color brochure contains 16 photographs showing some of the major projects in which the continuous plastic sewer lining has been used. This sewer lining is a high polymer vinyl resin sheet which is impervious to hydrogen sulfide and other sewer gases, acids, alkalis, and salts.

Eight-page brochure includes information on composition, physical and chemical properties, and method of incorporating lining in concrete sewer pipe and structures. Lining has T-shaped ribs which project from the back of the sheet.

Brochure on T-Lock Amer-Plate plastic sewer lining is issued by Amercoat Corp., Dept. CP, 4809 Firestone Blvd., South Gate, Calif. When inquiring specify CP 2557 opposite last page.

For more information on product advertised at right, specify CP 2558 . . . see information request blank opposite last page.







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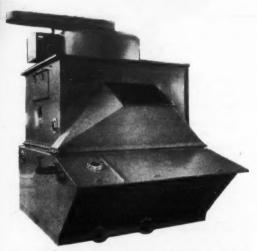
Feat surf Des Rubber-lined fume arrester with stainless steel rotor handles corrosives . . .

contaminants removed from air stream by blanket of water

Uses: For protection against corrosive fumes.

Features: Unit is rubber-lined on all inner surfaces except the stainless steel rotor.

Description: Contaminants are removed from air stream by intersecting it with a heavy blanket of water thrown off tangentially from the independently driven screw rotor drawing water from the built-in reservoir. For compactness, exhaust



For compactness, exhaust fan is built into fume arrester

fan is built into the top of the unit and is complete with V-belt drive, guard, and motor mount. Unit is complete with metering type water level control manifold, utility manifold, observation portlights, service and access doors. Varying sizes can be obtained.

(Vertical rotor type fume arrester is product of Schmieg Industries, Inc., 308 Piquett St., Detroit 2, Mich. . . . or for more information check CP 2559 on form opposite last page.)

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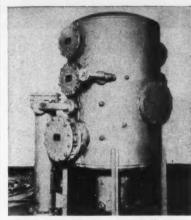
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Twelve-page bulletin illustrates, describes, and gives data on Pyrex glass shell and tube heat exchangers. Only glass, chemically-resistant ceramic, and Teflon are contacted by corrosive fluids in the units described.

Bul PE-24 is issued by Corning Glass Works, Dept. CP, 1949 Crystal St., Corning, N.Y. When inquiring specify CP 2560 opposite last page.



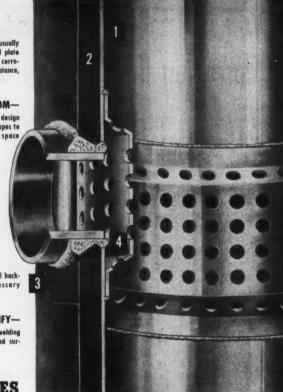
This solvent recovery unit—reboiler, condensing and cooling elements—was fabricated of nickel-clad steel.

1 ECONOMY-

High alloy layer—usually 10% or 20% of total plate thickness — essures corresion and abrasion resistance, long equipment life.

2 DESIGN FREEDOM-

Integral band allows design and fabrication of shapes to meet process and space needs.



3 STRUCTURAL STABILITY—

Low-cost carbon steel backing provides necessary strength and rigidity.

4 EASY TO MODIFY-

Normal cutting and welding will not endanger clad surface or bend.

CLAD STEEL EQUIPMENT ASSURES

LONG LIFE AND EASY MODIFICATION

To help you overcome the rapid obsolescence caused by process changes when first costs are high, clad steel equipment offers two unique advantages. First, clad steel construction permits easy tank and vessel revision where new openings must be cut and flanges, pipes or attachments welded on. This means you can design for extra-long service life. The bond between cladding and backing will not tear away and allow harmful seepage.

Second, you get long-life protection from corrosion, abrasion and product contamination—all the advantages of solid, high-alloy construction—with savings up to 50% in material costs. The ASME Code permits full gage consideration for design purposes because cladding and backing are bonded over their entire surface.

Long life and low-cost protection, plus other advantages like fast heat transfer, easy cleaning and minimum maintenance, can be obtained from 16 cladding materials that meet a wide range of service conditions.

And qualified equipment builders know best how to apply these to your new processing equipment. By working with your own engineers and consultants from the start, they can help you get longer equipment life at lower cost. Lukens offers the widest available range of clads—stainless, nickel, Inconel, Monel, copper—and cooperates with fabricators in helping you to select the type best suited to your processing needs. If you would like more information, consult one of your builders or write Manager, Marketing Service, Lukens Steel Co., 750 Lukens Building, Coatesville, Pa.



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STAINLESS-CLAD · NICKEL-CLAD · INCONEL-CLAD · MONEL-CLAD

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You can solve your tough corrosion problems by using **Bitumastic®** Coatings



TOUGH CORROSION PROBLEMS can be solved, but not by using ordinary paints or conventional protective coatings. For long-term protection, it takes specialized protective coatings . . . the Bitumastic Coatings Koppers makes.

ATMOSPHERES

Bitumastic Protective Coatings are specially formulated from a tar-pitch base* that is, for all practical purposes, impervious to moisture. These coatings keep moisture away from exposed metal surfaces... and that's the best way to stop

With tough, durable Bitumastic Protective Coatings, a thickness up to eight times that of ordinary paints can be obtained in one application. Where other factors are equal, the thicker the coating the longer the period of protection.

specialized coating has been used successfully to protect

these tanks against corrosive chemical agents and moisture

Send for a set of free booklets describing the family of Bitumastic Protective Coatings. At the same time, tell us about your corrosion problems so that we can suggest a satisfactory solution. There is no obligation, of course.

* Hi-Heat Gray is a non-coal-tar vehicle and metallic



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Tar Products Division, 1279-T, Pittsburgh 19, Pennsylvania DISTRICT OFFICES: BOSTON, CHICAGO, LOS ANGELES, NEW YORK, PITTSBURGH, AND WOODWARD, ALA. KOPPERS PRODUCTS LIMITED District Offices: Toronto & Edmonton





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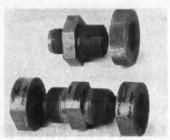
Tight joints are formed by couplings, adapters for polyethylene pipe . . .

> no undue compressive stresses set up in pipe

As fittings for use with polyethylene pipe.

Features: Fittings form a tight joint without setting up undue compressive stresses in polyethylene, and they are resistant to corrosive action.

Description: Couplings and adapters are injection molded



Top — polyethylene-to-metal adapters Bottom - plastic-to-plastic couplings

from rigid, unplasticized polyvinyl chloride. They are supplied in 3/4" and 1" sizes.

(PVC fittings are products of Wilmington Plastics Co., Dept. CP, 810 S. Heald St., Wilmington, Del. . . . or for more information check CP 2563 on form opposite last page.)

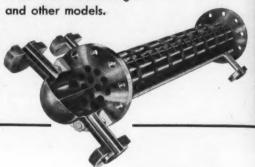
Corrosion protection by metallizing

Four-page, two-color bulletin summarizes variety of metal coatings possible with metallizing for prevention of corrosion. Other applications such as correcting surface defects and imparting chemical or electrical properties are de-

"Metallizing" is issued by Protective Coatings Division, Metalweld, Inc., Dept. CP, Scotts Lane and Abbottsford Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2564 on form opposite last page.

Heat Exchangers . . . new low prices

Use of standard stockable components slashes cost of fixed tube sheet designs



Never before have these standard corrosionresistant units been offered at such low current prices. Here's what you get-

Specifications—Standard Heat Exchangers (all sizes to 30" nominal shell diameter)

Design Pressure: 75 psi shell side: 75 psi tube side.

Design Temperature: 350°F

Gaskets: Pfaudler Type CBS (Compressed asbestos with special Buna S binder. Suitable for acids and solvents except powerful oxidizers such as HNO3, hot concentrated H2SO4, chlorosulfonic acid, chromic acid, brominations, and H2O2.)

Shell and Baffles: Carbon steel or Stainless, type 304 or 316 S.S.

Tubes: Stainless steel, Type 316 or Type 304, ¾" O.D., 18 gauge, welded.

Tube Sheets: Stainless steel, Type 316 or Type 304.

Bonnets: Stainless steel, Type 316 or Type 304 or Carbon Steel.

Code: Built to ASME Code U-69, and TEMA Class A Specifications.

Write or call your Pfaudler representative for fast delivery, complete specifications and prices on these heat exchangers-plus help in custom engineering a unit to meet any exceptional problems you may have. Or send coupon for Manual No. 837.



THE PFAUDLER CO. Dept. CP-G-12, Rochester 3, N. Y.

Send Manual 837, giving application data and specifications on stainless heat exchangers.

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Stainless alloy pickling tank withstands hot sulfuric for eight years . . .

previous materials were used with little or no success

Problem: Wood, acid-proof cement, and conventional grades of stainless steel were used with little or no success for pickling tank handling sulfuric acid at The F. H. Lawson Co., Cincinnati, Ohio. Tanks are used for galvanizing sheet metal products. Each tank contains 4 to 8% of 60 to 66° Be sulfuric acid solution at temperatures ranging from 150 to 165°F.

All of the wooden tanks had a short life and needed constant replacing. Cement-lined tanks, reinforced on the inside with paving bricks, lasted about twice as long as those made of wood. Cracking and other conditions made repairs almost impossible.

Two pickling tanks were made from conventional grades of stainless in 1948 and 1949. Both required a great deal of maintenance after three to four years of service. One deteriorated so badly that it had to be taken out of operation.

Solution: In 1947 one pickling tank was fabricated from No. 20-Cb stainless alloy, a special



This pickling tank has been in constant use in sulfuric acid service for the past eight years

sulfuric acid-resisting stainless steel. This unit, shown in photograph, is $2\frac{1}{2}$ deep, 4' wide, and 12' long. Tank has been in constant use since it was placed in service, most of the time in a two-shift operation.

Results: This pickling tank made from 20-Cb alloy has required practically no maintenance during the eight years it has been in service.

(No. 20-Cb stainless alloy is a product of Alloy Tube Div., The Carpenter Steel Co., Dept. CP, 110 Springfield Rd., Union, N. J. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 2566 on the Reader Service slip which is located opposite last page.)



Over 80,000 operations with these Crane valves Maintenance cost: zero

THE CASE HISTORY—More than 6 years of long-day service—with not one penny of maintenance cost to date! That's the record for Crane valves on these Market Forge steam cookers in Chicago's world-famed Conrad Hilton hotel.

Operated an average of 35 times daily, each of the 24 quick-opening Crane brass gate valves on this installation keeps handling the flow of steam with highest efficiency.

Their cam and lever action remains smooth and positive. They open wide without flow restriction

... they seat tightly, with no appreciable seat wear or erosive effects. There's no leakage through the cap joint or around the operating mechanism.

The Market Forge Co., Everett, Mass., finds these Crane No. 432 quick-opening valves well adapted to its famous cookers. It's a case of protecting a good product with quality equipment and giving buyers added value. The Conrad Hilton's experience is duplicated wherever these cookers are installed.

Whether you use quick-opening

valves as machinery components or in plant service piping, you'll find Crane quality designs for all your needs. Crane makes them in gate and globe types, in brass and iron—for steam, water, oil, gas, air, gasoline, etc.—in a wide range of sizes. Your local Crane Representative can give valuable help in selecting these valves for your specific needs.

Crane Co., General Offices, Chicago 5, Ill. Branches and Wholesalers serving all areas.



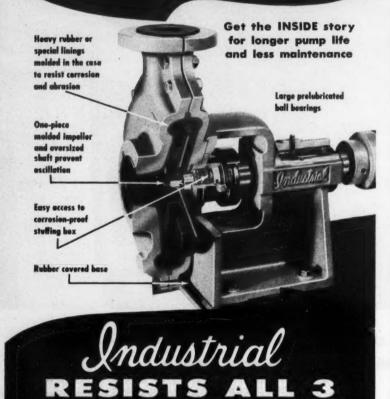
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CRANE'S FIRST CENTURY ... 1855-1955

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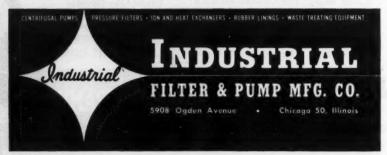




Lined to suit the job... the rubber formula most resistant to the fluids you handle can be supplied by INDUSTRIAL'S rubber compounding and lining division. Neoprene, Saran, Hypalon and Hycar are also available. INDUSTRIAL'S experienced chemists and engineers will help you select the ideal lining and pump size.

Wide range of sizes available with capacities to 450 gpm.

Write for 8-page bulletin with head, GPM and efficiency graphs.



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CORROSION CONTROL

Sensing probe gives warning of hydrogen blisters

Can be inserted or removed from vessel while in service

Uses: To give a warning of the formation of hydrogen blisters in the walls of processing vessels.

Features: Probes are designed so they can be removed and inspected or replaced from pressure processing tanks without taking vessel out of production or off the stream.

Description: Hydrogen probe is made of seamless carbon steel tubing. One end is closed and machined to make a thinner walled section called



the corrosive-sensing area. This end is inserted into the chemical processing vessel, the other end extending outside the vessel, and is held in position with fittings and pressure-tight packing.

If conditions inside the vessel favor the formation of hydrogen blisters, these blisters will be formed inside the thinner walled section of the probe before excessive damage is done to wall of vessel. A change in pressure will be shown on the probe outside the vessel. Whatever protective action is necessary can then be taken. Probes are made 18, 24, or 36" long for different size vessels and are available in three different types of mountings. (Hydogen probe is product of Dept. PR 28, Texsteam Corp., Dept. CP, 320 Hughes St., Houston

11, Tex. Check CP 2569 on form opposite last page.)

Treats hard rubber lined valves for corrosion service

Sizes, dimensions, and construction details on company's rubber lined valves are given in four-page condensed bulletin. A brief description of valve action is presented with detailed sectional drawings included.

"Darling rubber lined valves for corrosive services" is issued by Darling Valve & Manufacturing Co., Dept. CP, Walnut & Marshall Sts., Williamsport, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2570 on form opposite last page.



EYE BOLTS

by an exclusive method

Among Pawtucket's many specialty products are these lower-cost eye bolts or "swing" bolts. Pawtucket's exclusive production method keeps cost low, dimensional accuracy unusually high and strength above standard.

Pawtucket eye bolts

Pawtucket eye bolts are made in standard sizes ¼" and larger, or to your specifications. In any size, you can depend on uniform Class 3 fit, if required.

All standard steels, stainless steels and non-ferrous metals, including Titanium



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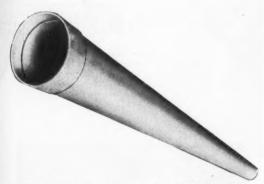
Resistance to corrosive action of most liquids and gases provided by plastic pipe . . .

glass fiber reinforced pipe satisfactory for moderately high pressures

Uses: Pipe is intended for use under corrosive conditions.

Features: Thermosetting resins used provide excellent resistance to the corrosive action of most liquids and gases. In addition, pipe can be built for service where moderately high pressures and temperatures are encountered.

Description: Method of fabricating is such that the glass fiber reinforcement can be oriented to



Reinforced plastic pipe can be furnished in diameters

provide needed strength for different requirements. Selection of resins (principally modified epoxies) is available for special needs.

Pipe is available in inside diameters from 1-3/4 to 12". Manufacturing methods are such that almost any diameter and wall thickness up to 36" diameter could be supplied on a custom-built basis. Couplings and other fittings of several types are available with standard sizes.

(Glass fiber reinforced plastic pipe is product of Reinforced Laminates, Inc., Dept. CP, 3040 East Hennepin Ave., Minneapolis 13, Minn. . . . or check CP 2572 on form opposite last page.)

Covers corrosion-resistant, ductile nickel-iron

Ductile nickel-iron, an engineering material that combines the strength and ductility of ductile cast iron with resistance to corrosion, heat, and wear possessed by Ni-Resist castings, is covered in fourpage bulletin.

Bul 3114-DI-27 is issued by The International Nickel Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 67 Wall St., New York 5, N.Y. Specify CP 2573 opp. last page.



KEL-F® dispersion-coated tank truck transports corrosive chemicals



BAKE OVEN at Kellogg Plant, Jersey City, N. J. Overall length 85 ft., width 12 ft., height 12 ft., iso-thermal control, ±5°F. This new Kellogg oven is being used to develop improved techniques for large area applications.



QUENCHING-After final baking, tank is quenched to produce tough, transparent, flexible coating.

This tank, which is designed to transport corrosive chemicals without danger of contamination of the final product, was spray coated with KEL-F Dispersions at the Kellogg plant in Jersey City, and baked-fused in a specially built oven large enough to complete each coating in a single operation. Preliminary tests were carried out with a slightly smaller tank, and the correct techniques developed before proceeding with the coating operations on the tank truck.

KEL-F DISPERSIONS - NEW WEAPON IN FIGHT AGAINST CORROSION

KEL-F Dispersions are finely divided fluorocarbon plastic solids in a volatile medium. Applied by spray, dip or spread coating, they are fused by heat into a tough, impervious coating – firmly bonded to the surface on which applied, and providing a chemical and temperature resistant surface that is anti-sticking and self-cleaning.

This liquid chemical carrier is evidence that the range of applications for KEL-F Dispersions is not limited by size, and that present techniques of dispersion coating can be applied to tanks and other outsize equipment. There are experienced applicators of KEL-F Dispersions, serving nearly every major industrial area. They can show you how this fluorocarbon polymer can come to your aid in your fight against corrosion and high processing temperatures. For more information, send for KEL-F Dispersion Manual, and list of applicators.



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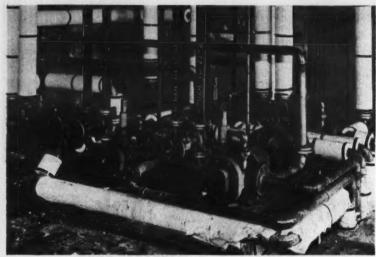
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PUMPING CORROSIVE CHEMICALS? Get low-cost.

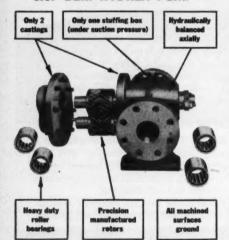
high-capacity pumping with . . . Sier-Bath

Shown below are six Hydrex Pumps at the General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y., used for unloading tank cars and transfer pumping of Djally Phthalate, Melamine, Soya Patty Acid and Formalin. Model 2½ C-5 Hydrex Pumps shown have type 2A Ni-Resist body, bearings and packing glands. Shafts are of Type 316 stainless steel.

HYDREX® PUMPS



Sier-Bath HYDREX PUMP



The simplest heavy duty gear pump made! Use it in place of pumps costing much more . . . for handling chemical solutions, fuel oils, lube oils, hydraulic liquids,

The "Hydrex" needs no costly speed reducer—can be direct-connected up to 1800 RPM. Extreme simplicity allows heavier construction, easier installation and maintenance, less downtime, longer life.

Models available to pump liquids from 32 SSU to 250,000 SSU, at 1 to 350 GPM, up to 500 PSI. Call your local Sier-Bath Pump Representative . . . write to Sier-Bath Gear & Pump Co., Inc., 9260 Hudson Blvd., North Bergen, N. J.

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CORROSION

Blacktop now coated green or red . . .

serves as protective sealer, improving appearance

Uses: As a coating and surface sealer for bituminous concrete.

Features: Material is now available in three colors — charcoal, green, and red. Thus, it improves appearance as well as protecting blacktop parking lots or Portland cement concrete floors.

Description: Surface sealer is a pitch emulsion that is insoluble in oils and gasoline. It has good resistance to acids and alkalis and a variety of chemicals. Coating can be quickly applied and dries in a few hours. On exterior paving, sealer prevents cracking and penetration of water which causes breaks.

(Meco surface sealer is a product of Maintenance Engineering Co., Dept. CP, 16 W. Johnson St., Philadelphia 44, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2576 on form opposite last page.)

Progress report on titanium

Mechanical properties of both alloyed and unalloyed grades of titanium and comparative properties of other pure metals are given in eight-page progress report. Methods of forging, annealing, rolling, descaling, and pickling titanium sponge in primary fabrication are discussed.

Sheet forming, machining, grinding, sawing, and joining of titanium in secondary fabrication are also covered. A number of photographs show uses for the metal in chemical and other industries.

"Titanium Progress Report #2" is issued by Pigments Department, E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., (Inc.), Dept. CP, Wilmington 98, Del. When inquiring check CP 2577 on form which is located opposite last page.



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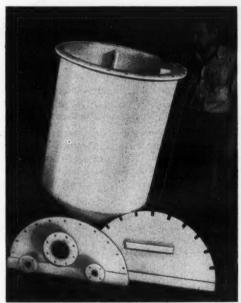
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For inorganic corrosion problems at temperatures up to 170°F.—specify AGILENE. AGILENE tanks are available built to your specifications or standard sizes, rectangular and cylindrical. The photo shown above is a 39 gallon acid make-up tank for 40% hydrofluoric acid, complete with flanged nozzles and interior details to customer specifications.

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No contamination results when Teflon tubing is used . . .

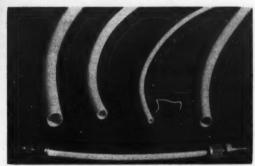
RIDE

flexible material is inert to chemicals and strong solvents

In chemical, petroleum, pharmaceutical, and food industries for fluids that are difficult to

Features: Flexible tubing operates from 29 inches of mercury vacuum to 100 psi pressure. Its service temperature range is from that of liquid oxygen ($<-183^{\circ}$ C) to $\pm 500^{\circ}$ F.

Description: Teflon flexible tubing is extruded in sizes from 1/8 to 1" ID, and standard wall thick-



Pressure range of tubing is 29 inches Hg vacuum to 100 psi pressure

ness is from 30 mils to one inch. Larger tubes have heavier walls. Different wall sizes are available on request, and tubing can be supplied in all colors for identification of fluid streams. Ferrule fittings made from Monel, nickel, stainless steel, and nylon can be used, as well as Teflon fittings.

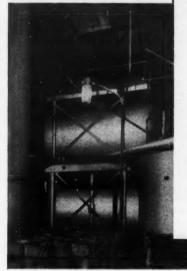
(Teflon flexible tubing is a product of Pennsylvania Fluoroplastics Co., Dept. CP, 1115 N. 38th St., Philadelphia 4, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2579 on form opposite last page.)

Reinforced plastic pipe fittings are corrosion-resistant, tough, provide unrestricted flow

Complete line of plastic pipe fittings resists a wide variety of corrosives and are extremely tough. Fittings, which are made with thermosetting polyester resins combined with glass fiber mat and cloth, are designed with smooth interior which provides unrestricted flow of liquids. Fittings are designed for use with manufacturers testing pipe and are available in sizes from 4 through 12" OD.

(Plastic pipe fittings are products of Reflin Co., Dept. CP, 5730 Kearny Villa Rd., San Diego, Calif. . . . or check CP 2580 opposite last page.)

Purity is safeguarded. Underand over-chlorinated portions are separated from 2,4-D in this equipment. To maintain purity, fractionating column solid nickel. Tanks are Nickel-Clad Steel. Both materials are also used in other equipment for the same purpose.





Man without a hoe

Now the weeds are under control. Yes not a single hoe ever touched the soil.

Give the credit to 2,4-D, an amaxing chemical discovery. It destroys only broad-leaved weeds. And gives food plants like corn, wheat, rice, oats and barley a new lease on life!

Unlike older weed killers, 2,4-D is not a poison in the accepted sense. It's practically harmless to humans or nimals. But it disrupts the normal growth cycle of broad-leaved weeds. In three or four weeks, they're dead.

What's 2,4-D? Actually, 2,4-di-chlorophenoxyacetic acid. And there were tough problems to overcome at

nearly every stage of its development. Corrosion, for example, was a constant threat to the life of equipment and to the purity of the final product. So nickel and the nickel alloy, Monel®, are specified for pipes and fittings, steam coils, reactors, centrifuges, dryers, tanks and other equipment used in

the making and handling of 2,4-D. Nickel and Monel protect product purity. And they resist corrofew metals do!

If you have a problem in which corrosion, high or low temperatures. stresses, fatigue, or the maintenance of product purity are troublesome factors, let's talk it over. Two minds are always hetter than one, and we may be able to help you find out how nickel - or one of the more than fifty Inco Nickel Alloys now available - can solve your probem. Write The International Nickel Company, Inc., 67 Wall Street, New York 5, N. Y.



Nickel Alloys Perform Better Longer

Story behind the story...

Nickel and Monel hold corrosion down, give chlorinated organic high purity

If you chlorinate organics, you may find the story behind this Business Week advertisement (Sept. 24 issue) of particular interest.

When Pittsburgh Coke & Chemical Company began to make the nowfamous weed-killer, 2,4-D, a number of years ago, some formidable corrosion and contamination problems soon developed.

During the chlorination, small amounts of hydrochloric acid form and some chlorine fails to react.

Both corrosives are bad for equipment. Worse for product . . . since even a little metallic pick-up adversely affects its color and purity.

Corrosion tests showed what to do

Eventually, nickel or Nickel-Clad Steel replaced other materials in the still, steam coils, fractionating tower, condenser and storage vessels.

Monel*, an Inco nickel-copper alloy, is now used for the 2,4-D reactor, the dichlorophenol weighing tank, the stripping column, the centrifuge and dryer.

The result? Practically troublefree operation.

If you have a corrosion or contamination problem, Inco Nickel, Monel, or other nickel alloys may prove the answer. Inco's Corrosion Engineering Section will be glad to help you look into it. Just write. Registered Trademark

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B. F. Goodrich Chemical raw materials



B. F. Goodrich Chemical Company does not manufacture this pipe. We supply only the Geon resin.

CHECK THESE 4-WAY SAVINGS WITH RIGID VINYL PIPE

Installation time cut . Heavy machinery eliminated • Two man crew does the job . No corrosion, longer life.

Here's a hot case history of how costs were cut four separate ways by specifying plastic pipe made from Geon high impact rigid vinyl resin. The installation collects crude oil in a water flood system near Tulsa, Oklahoma.

The plastic pipe replaces 2 miles of steel pipe that failed due to salt and sulphur corrosion. A two man crew laid 640 feet of 3 inch rigid vinyl pipe made from Geon resin in an hour. No heavy machinery was used; the pipe is so light a length can be handled by one man.

Biggest saving comes from the long life of rigid vinyl pipe made from Geon resin. It withstands rough handling, won't corrode, has better chemical resistance, and costs less than many other pipe materials.

Rigid plastic pipe is but one of many products made from Geon polyvinyl materials that show similar economies in both installation and upkeep. Sheets, valves and other products used in the petroleum and chemical industries demonstrate daily the versatile qualities of Geon polyvinyl

materials. For information on Geon materials, please write Dept. BD-6, B. F. Goodrich Chemical Company, Rose Building, Cleveland 15, Ohio. Cable address: Goodchemco. In Canada: Kitchener, Ontario.



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(Epo-Lux protective coating is product of Steelcote Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 3418 Gratiot St., St. Louis 3, Mo. Check CP 2583 opposite last page.)

Cathodic protection aided by assembly technique for anodes . . .

can be fixed on cable exactly where needed

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Panels are available either translucent or opaque

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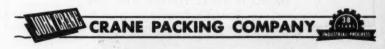
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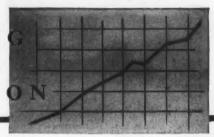
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Enlarge ethanolamines unit at Seadrift, Texas

Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company will more than double its ethanolamines capacity with completion of a new unit at Seadrift, Texas. Plant is a major installation for production of ethylene oxide, ethylene glycol and butadiene. New ethanolamines unit, to be completed in the fall of 1956, will be fully integrated with these facilities.

Plans wide expansion program in detergent field

Expansion program in liquid detergent field is being initiated by General Anilne & Film Corporation. Antara Chemicals Division will get new facilities in Kentucky, New Jersey and on the West Coast. A new surfactants manufacturing building will be constructed at Calvert City, Kentucky. Additional facilities will be installed at the present plant in Linden, N.J. Large storage tank facilities will be leased in Los Angeles and Alameda, Calif. Calvert City operation will be adjacent to the new acetylene products plant.

Picks Georgia location for new mill

Rayonier Incorporated will build a chemical cellulose plant at Jesup, Georgia. Cost will be approximately 25 million dollars. Annual capacity will be 100,000 tons. Reason for expanding production so soon after putting present Jesup mill in operation (June, 1954) is increased demand for rayon, acetate, tire cord, cellophane.

Davison Chemical enters field of liquid fertilizers

Davison Chemical Division of W. R. Grace & Company will build a plant for manufacture of liquid fertilizers at Wakarusa, Indiana, 18 miles southeast of South Bend. Plant and its associated marketing activities are projected as a developmental operation on a comparatively large scale as the plant will have a capacity of fifteen tons of liquid fertilizer per hour.

Main purpose of the operation will be to serve as a focal point of a program for expansion of liquid fertilizer markets. Wakarusa was chosen because the area has a wide variety of farming nearby — grain, vegetable, fruit and livestock. Davison believes that significant expansion of liquid fertilizer market will occur. New plant is expected to furnish information on the direction this expansion will take.

Five-million dollar plant for molding compounds

Five-million dollar plant for phenolic molding compounds was brought into production at Kenton, Ohio, by the Durez Plastics Division of Hooker Electrochemical Company. Plant will specialize in long uninterrupted production runs of the largest volume compounds in the Durez line. This will enable the main Durez plant at North Tonawanda, N.Y., to concentrate more intensively upon manufacture of phenol and formaldehyde, various phenolic resins and on special molding compounds produced in smaller lots. Kenton, Ohio, was selected because it is in the geographical center of Durez's midwestern market and has adequate water and power.

News about chemical materials in the US — plant construction, increased production . . . on stream now or planned for future

Dow producing soda ash at Freeport, Texas

Commercial production of soda ash at Dow's three-million dollar plant at Freeport, Texas, has started. Production capacity is 300 tons per day. Plant uses Dow Chemical's own process which differs from the Solvay process. Research on the new process was begun in 1945.

National Starch doubles capacity of polymerization plant

Increased demand for vinyl acetate resin from paint, adhesive, textile and paper industries is causing National Starch Products Inc. to double the capacity of their new plant. Plant is located at Meredosia, Illinois.

4000 bfsd fluid coking unit for Bakersfield refinery

Detailed engineering has been started to construct 4000 bpsd fluid coking unit for Bankline Oil Company at Bakersfield, Calif. Unit will convert crude and thermally-cracked fuel oil to gasoline, gas-oil, gas and petroleum coke.

Cincinnati area demands more sulfuric acid

Steadily increasing demand for sulfuric acid by industries in the Cincinnati area dictated Du Pont's decision to build another acid plant there. Construction is to start immediately. This plant will start operations in the latter part of 1956. New facilities will replace the Grasselli Lockland Works.

Non-electrolytic process for hydrogen peroxide

After operating a non-electrolytic process for five years in pilot plant, Columbia-Southern Chemical Corporation is going into commercial production of hydrogen peroxide. Engineering on the new plant is underway.

Electrolytic production of caustic potash

Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company has started construction for production of potassium hydroxide. Process will use DeNora mercury cells and will be continuous. Plant is to be located at Calvert City, Kentucky works.

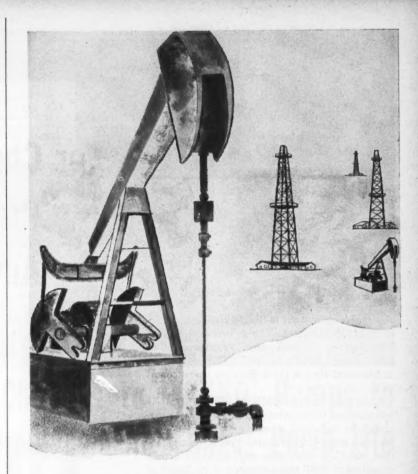
Will expand copolymer plant by additional 22%

Copolymer plant near Borger, Texas, of Phillips Chemical Company will be expanded by 22%. . . . in addition to 15% already announced by the company. Production capacity of the adjacent Plains butadiene plant will also be increased to provide additional butadiene used by the copolymer plant. Construction of the new facilities will begin immediately. Completion is expected during the first quarter of 1957.

Still more rubber

Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company is doubling Akron, Ohio, plant capacity for nitrile rubbers and latices. Expansion is part of the 100-million dollar program recently announced by Goodyear. The new plant will cost about 3½ million.

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AMPCO* METAL quadruples life of polished rod liners

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More ammonia fertilizer for Savannah

With construction starting this fall, Southern Nitrogen Company's petrochemical ammonia plant should be in operation near Savannah, Georgia by the end of 1956. Cost is figured as \$14 million.

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Southern Nitrogen points out that this will be the first synthetic nitrogen plant located within market area of the South Atlantic states. By producing this near the consumer, savings of about \$3 million annually will be shared by fertilizer companies and farmers.

More than $3\frac{1}{2}$ billion cubic feet of natural gas will be consumed annually to reach rated output of 250 tons of ammonia a day. Payroll will reach about \$1 million — with 200 people employed.

Para-cresol production upped 3 million lb

Hercules Powder Company announced that its Gibbstown plant is due for additional facilities to make three million pounds of p-cresol. Construction is starting and operation is slated for this time next year.

While p-cresol has not been made at Gibbstown, Hercules has been supplying about one million pounds a year from the Hattiesburg, Miss. plant. Para-cresol is the sixth product for oxychemical production methods. Others: phenol, acetone, cumene hydroperoxide, diisopropylbenzene hydroperoxide, para-menthane hydroperoxide.

More vinyl acetate is on the way

Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation will more than double vinyl acetate output from Texas City in a "multi-million dollar" expansion. Made by reacting acetic acid and

[★] Courtesy of the publication MEDICAL ECONOMICS, creater of this copy, here adapted to CHEMICAL PROCESSING.

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> acetylene, vinyl acetate is used as a monomer and co-monomer in polyvinyl resins. Acetate can be hydrolyzed to polyvinyl alcohol for use in resins, too.

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In line with increased polyvinyl acetate demand, Dewey & Almy Chemical Company division of W. R. Grace & Co. is doubling production. Increases are to be made at both Cambridge and Acton, Mass.

Demand increase appears to have been led by paint makers who use the material in water-based coating. Increases are also being felt in adhesives and textile sizings.

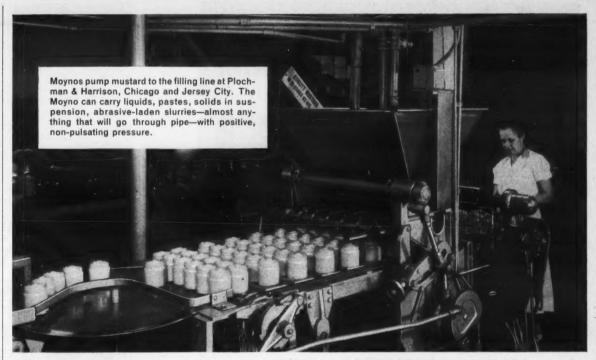
To specialize in compounds for textile application

United States Rubber Company's new latex compounding plant at Gastonia, N.C., will specialize in materials for textile use. It will produce hundreds of natural and synthetic compounds for locking loops in place, giving "hand" to cloth providing wet strength, and so forth.

New plant, comprising 30,000 square feet of work space, occupies eight acres near U. S. Rubber's textile plant. It reflects a demand increase of 150% since 1948.

More sodium to come from Ashtabula

Titanium sponge demands for sodium are to be met by increasing production at U. S. Industrial Chemical's Ashtabula, Ohio, plant. User Union Carbide has contracted for the sodium and will use it to get its Electromet plant in production (7500 tons) next summer.



Mustard Mill Changes to MOYNO Pumps to Get Positive Displacement, Longer Pump Life

A Moyno Pump installation at Plochman & Harrison, makers of the famous Premium Brand Mustard, illustrates the outstanding performance of the Moyno Pump. They have been pumping mustard to a filling line with the Moyno for over two years without a single replacement of parts. They are replacing other pumps with Moynos.

The mustard is pumped as a semi-solid. In addition, it has both an acid and an abrasive content which causes other pumps to wear out in a few months. Moynos handle a wide variety of products that are not pumpable with other types of pumps. These include potato salad, chow mein, fruit, acid, alkalis, pastes, abrasive slurries, paints, tar, cement, plaster, many others.

The Moyno has a unique rotor and stator arrangement which forms sealed progressing cavities that move the material, providing positive displacement. For this mustard handling job parts were made of stainless steel to assure trouble-free service and long pump life. Rotor and stator are available in other alloys, or plastic compositions.

Note the outstanding features of the Moyno shown at the right. Perhaps your pumping problems can be solved with the Moyno. Write us today! Ask for a free copy of Bulletin 30-CP. It will give you complete facts!



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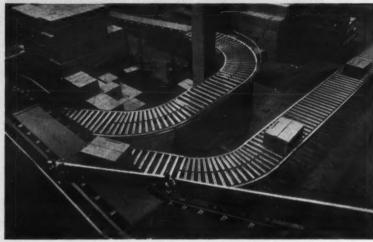
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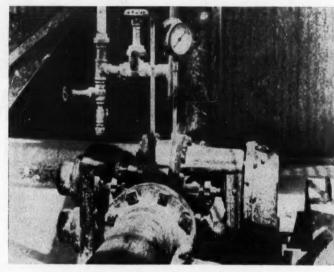
(LEFT) Belt-booster in a gravity roller conveyor "order picking" line. (RIGHT) Lift or lower floor-to-floor with an INCLINEBELT. Available in a wide range of heights and belt widths.



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Some idea of consistency of this 55% slurry can be had from performance of this screw conveyor carrying it from vacuum filters to collecting tank



From collecting tank it enters this pump (at rear), emerges at 60 psi and 100 gpm through six-inch line



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At Moss Landing, California, Kaiser Aluminum and Chemical Corporation makes magnesium hydroxide — a prizewinner at being tough to handle. A gluey, viscous slurry, this material was hard to move . . . and if not kept moving, settled out to become even stickier

Pumping slurry slashes Kaiser's loading time...and turns out superior product

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By BRUCE FADER, Associate Editor with J. D. MOORE, Superintendent Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corp. Moss Landing, California

Problem: Prior to December of 1953, Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corporation's Moss Landing plant in California faced a constant headache in loading magnesium hydroxide slurry into tankcars.

This gluey material came from a vacuum filter, dropped into a screw conveyor, and fell from screw's discharge into the waiting tankcar. Guided by a fall-out pipe from screw to tankcar, the slurry piled up under car's manhole. When this mound reached car's opening flow was stopped. Tankcar was then bumped back and forth to level the mound so that another could be dumped in. By repeating this process an 8000-gallon car could be loaded in about 48 hours.

But troubles didn't stop there. Once loaded, slurry began to settle. By the time car had arrived at its destination, water had collected as a top layer and lower

Tankcar loading by "dump and bump" took 48 hours

Slurry settled in transit, customer had to dilute

Tankcar now loaded in steady stream.
Time: 1 1/4 hours

Slurry handles as homogenous cream
— though analysis is unchanged

part of the car was a sticky mass. Unloading called for dilution and mixing — almost as much trouble as loading.

Solution: Plant management and the engineering department put their heads together to see what could be done to make the slurry behave. Among their schemes was the idea of moving slurry with a positive displacement pump. Tests were started.

For this work, they selected a "Heliquad" pump. Operating like a gear pump, this unit had two important differences from conventional gear pump designs. First, power was transmitted from one pump shaft to the other not by rotors themselves, but by external timing gears. Second difference, hinging on these external gears, was that rotor could be designed strictly for pumping. This permitted pump to maintain high throughput, head, and suction.

Pump was designd for handling viscous materials (though it does a creditable job with lightweights like gasoline, too) which are not self-lubricating. Coarse, highly pitched herringbone rotors are used. This rotor design retains the positive displacement advantage of a gear pump — but (Continued on next page)



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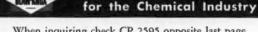
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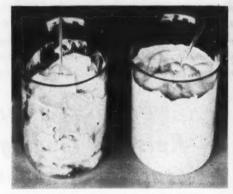


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produces a steady flow without pulsations. Further, high pump suction can be attained. This has been proven by occasional plugging of pump intake at Moss Landing. A vacuum of 27 inches has been run up.

To keep pumped material out of bearings a series of labyrinth rings are used. Annular spaces between rings and housing are connected through a regulating valve to pump's intake side. Thus, whatever leakage can get through the high-resistance labyrinth is picked up and returned to intake before it reaches the bearings.

Test results indicated that slurry could be pumped despite peaks of 55% solids. More important pumping action homogenized this slurry. This was a side effect. Pump itself is standard and was not selected with homogenization in mind. Apparently, shearing action of the rotors pulled the teeth of the formerly gluey stuff and reduced its consistency to a point where it could be squirted through a nozzle.

Cutaway of pump shows rotor construction. Labyrinth seals and timing gears (not shown) extend to sides

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contamination caused by leakage of granular fines.

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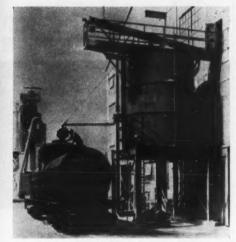
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Though they had hardly hoped for such a break, Kaiser engineers were quick to follow it up. They devised a system where slurry is collected in a tank and passes through an eight-inch vertical pipe to pump's intake. Located at railside, pump delivers to a six-inch horizontal discharge line. Line pressure here is usually maintained at about 60 psi.

To do this a 15-hp motor drives the pump, through a gear reduction train, at 220 rpm.

Valves in six-inch line permit direct loading of car or recirculation to tank. Recirculation is used to thin particularly obstinate slurries.

Entering the car itself, the six-inch line necks down through a four-inch T and is further reduced with bushings to a ³/₄-inch nipple at each end. Acting as nozzles, these nipples direct slurry against tank-car ends about 14 feet away.

Results: Slurry now fills tankcar from the ends in. Thus, steady flow can be maintained at 100 gpm or a little better. Instead of 48 hours, car can be filled in 1½ hour — in one shot.

While this pumping job is sporadic — depending on customer requirements for tankcar shipments — pump has been in intermittent service since December 22, 1953. In that time it has maintained the same high performance. Packing glands have been tightened once or twice, but first down time for the unit was September, 1955, when impellers were replaced.

In addition to these calculable benefits, Kaiser knows that customers are better satisfied. Homogenization of the slurry makes it easier for them to unload and handle.

(HQA Heliquad pump used in this installation is made by Kinney Manufacturing Div., New York Air Brake Co., Dept. CP, Washington St., Boston 30, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 2596 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located opposite last page.)

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MATERIAL HANDLING

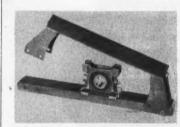
Allows easy access to bearings . . .

takeup is available with ball, roller or babbit bearings

Uses: Adjusts tension on such material hardling equipment as apron, belt, chain, drag, flight and slat conveyors.

Features: Hinged top frame allows access to adjusting screw and bearing block.

Description: Takeup is available with babbitted, ball or roller bearings. Adjusting screw, never projecting beyond end of frame, can be turned from either end.



Top frame, shown in raised position, provides easy access to bearing block

Units can be furnished with spring-loaded screw or counterweights for gravity takeup. Units are available for takeups from 12 to 30".

(Model DS takeup is product of Dept. PR, Link-Belt Co., Dept. CP, 307 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago 1, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 2599 on form opposite last page.)

Shows how to select roller conveyors

Printed in two colors, six-page booklet describes complete range of roller conveyors. Types and sizes are tabulated together with typical installations and key features.

"General Purpose Roller Conveyor" is issued by The Alvey-Ferguson Co., Dept. CP, Cincinnati 9, Ohio. When inquiring specify CP 2600 on form opposite last page.







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(Corrugated board pallet is product of Titan Products Co., Dept. CP, 165 E. 74th St., New York 21, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2603 on convenient Reader Service slip which is located opposite last page.)

How to unitize shipment with steel strapping

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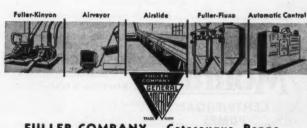


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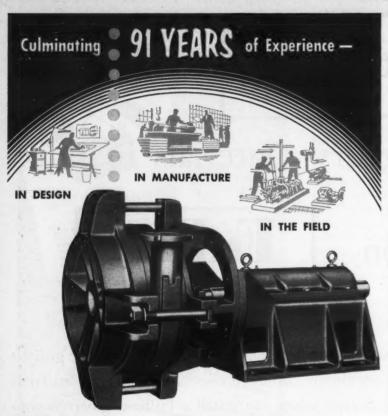
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MATERIAL HANDLING

Switch to electric truck handling cuts handling costs 60 per cent at paper company . . .

> overall handling time cut in half, 5 per cent gain in total plant space

In waxing and printing of paper wrappers for a large variety of food products, Waxide Paper Company of St. Louis consumes tons of bulk wax, paper roll stock, and other raw materials. All of these materials were formerly handled manually. On hot, muggy summer days, slabs of raw wax had to be chopped apart so that they could be unloaded and hand-stacked in storage. It formerly required 20 man-hours to unload and store a carload of wax. Moreover, when long periods of hot weather were experienced, venders had to ship in hard-to-get refrigerator cars.

Wax slabs are now received in palletized unit loads, either cartons or barrels, with an average of 20 pallets per car. Working in freight car, fork truck picks up 2000-lb pallet loads and takes it to an elevator 100 ft inside the plant. Here a powerized hand lift truck takes the load on to an elevator and to the basement for storage. After car is unloaded, rider-type truck is moved to storage area and stacks loads to the

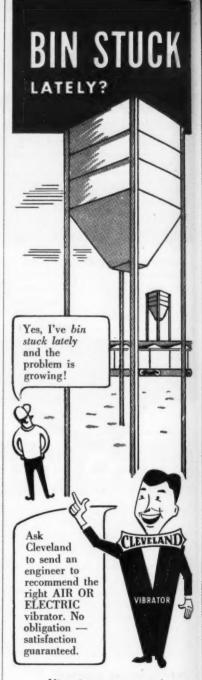
This work now takes four man hours instead of 20. Additional savings accrue by handling raw materials



Fork truck takes palletized unit load of wax slabs from inbound freight car and transports it to storage. This method of handling has cut handling time 60%

from stock to first processing point in unit load. This amounts to 50% saving over the piece-by-piece method which it replaced.

Large quantities of paper roll stock are also fork lifted into and out of storage. Standard rider model counter-balance electric fork lift truck has been equipped with a rotating clamp attachment. Clamp picks up the roll in the horizontal, upends it, and sets it on another. Unused air space now is being put to



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CHEMICAL PROCESSING

work as rolls are fork lifted and stacked three high. Complete revamping of handling procedures has resulted in a gain of 5% in total floor space. Space gain is being used for accommodating a more balanced raw material inventory and unit load storage of



Electric truck equipped with rotating clamp picks up 1200 lb paper roll, upends it, and sets it on another. Rolls are stacked three high to save space

finished stock. Not only has Waxide saved cost of renting outside storage space through this gain, but they are also saving extra handling and trucking costs which would have been involved.

(Data and pictures provided by Industrial Electric Truck Products Section of The Material Handling Institute, Inc., and Automatic Transportation Co.)



Does your plant need modern material handling methods . . .?

check the convenient Product Directory (pages 218 to 220) for a quick reference to ideas and equipment in this issue.

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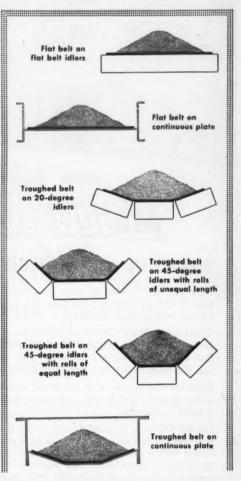
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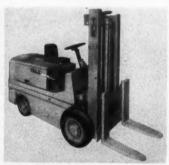
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industrial trucks built in capacities from 3000 to 8000 pounds

In-plant handling of Uses: various palletized materials.

Trucks use torque Features: transmission-providing matched power response to varying power demand. Transmission multiplies torque in continuously variable ratio rather than in discreet steps provided by conventional transmission. Thus transmission automatically selects best "gear ratio" for speed and load.

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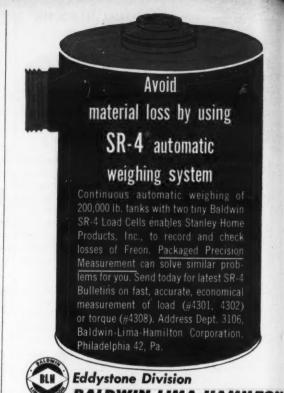


Torque drive permits operation at all speeds without manual shifting of gears

or LPG engines. Transmission overheating is prevented by finned oil lines, running through an auxiliary radiator.

Units are equipped with inching control for smooth and accurate maneuvering. Depression of brake pedal causes slight reduction of clutch pressure - reducing power delivered to drive wheels. Dual brake pedals are provided so that operator may control inching with left foot while right foot depresses accelerator.

(Series KGA 51 industrial trucks are products of Yale Materials Handling Division, Yale and Towne Manufacturing Co., Dept. CP, 11,-000 Roosevelt Blvd., Philadelphia 15, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2610 on Reader Service slip opposite last page.)



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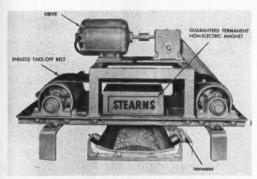
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Removes tramp iron continuously, cleans magnetic component with endless belt . . .

power is needed only to operate fractional hp motor

Uses: Separator removes tramp iron and other ferrous contamination from flow of material and makes disposal in continuous operation.

Features: Permanent magnet is guaranteed for life of installation. No power is needed other than that required to drive fractional horsepower motor.



Tramp iron is carried away from magnetic components by endless belt

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Description: Unit is suspended above conveyor belt, chute or sorting table. Alnico V magnets pull tramp iron out of material flow. Iron is attracted to magnet face where a cleated endless belt automatically carries it out of magnetic field to discharge station.

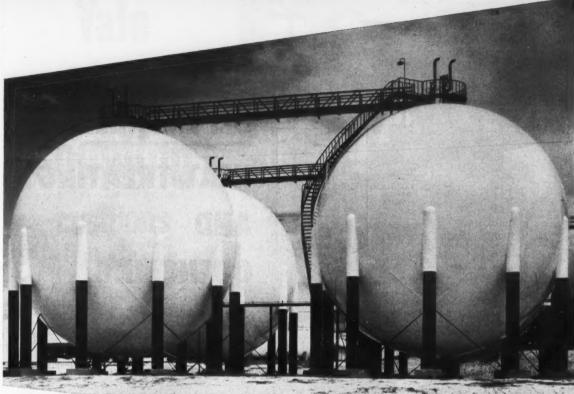
Unit, including motor-reducer drive, is supplied completely assembled. Separator is available in various sizes, suitable for suspension up to 4" above material flow.

(Separator is manufactured by Stearns Magnetic Inc., Dept. CP, 629 S. 28th St., Milwaukee, Wis. . . . or for more information check CP 2613 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located opposite last page.)

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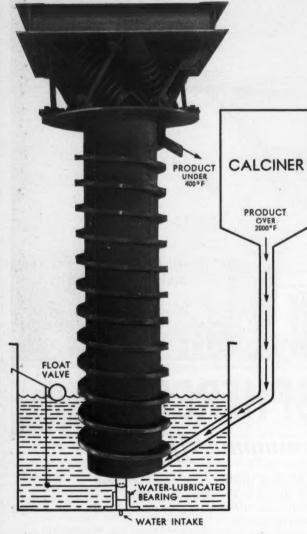
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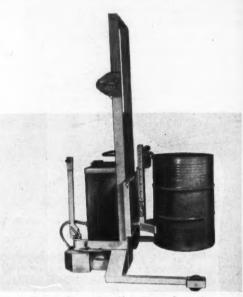
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Attaches to hand fork trucks or portable stackers . . .

unit stacks steel or fiber drums without use of pallets

Uses: With hand propelled fork trucks and portable stackers having removable forks or platforms, of either outrigger or counterweighted type.

Features: Will fit any make of hand propelled truck, can be attached or removed by one operator



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Unit stacks metal or fiber drums of any size

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Description: Attachment mounts on mast of truck, gripping drum at top rim. Unit weighs 37 lb and is 34" high. Extension from carriage is 8". (Unit is made by Marvel Industries, Inc., Dept. CP, 2224 Cleveland St., Evanston, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 2617 opp. last page.)

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"pry-out" action is accomplished by use of breakout pads on ground for leverage

Uses: Handling of bulk materials in one cu yd and $1\frac{1}{2}$ cu yd quantities.

Features: Design permits 40 degrees of bucket "breakout" at ground level rather than at "carry" position. "Pry-out" action is accomplished by using

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Breakout pads act as fulcrum for leverage

breakout pads on ground as a fulcrum for leverage. Forces are thus transferred to ground through pads rather than to axle, wheels and hydraulic system.

Description: Underslung boom-arms provide more driver visibility and safety. Need for safety guards or screens to protect driver is eliminated.



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Discharge controlled effectively by swing control gate . . .

bin, of 12-gage steel, is available in 10 or 25-ton capacities

Uses: All-steel storage unit for cement, minerals, rock phosphate and similar free-flowing materials.

Features: Unit has hopper bottom with swing control gate (not a sliding valve) for more effective discharge control.

Description: Unit is available in 10 and 25 ton capacities. Bin is fabricated in one unit on four



Swing control gate provides more effective control of discharge

legs, eliminating any assembly on delivery. Unit, of 12-gage steel, has 18" manhole located on top. Ladder, for access into bin, is mounted on inside. (Bulk storage bin is product of Andrews Machine Co., Dept. CP, 359 E. Main, Decatur, Ill. . . . or check CP 2620 opposite last page.)

Conveyor is cleaned with hot water

reversible-direction unit operates at speeds up to 100 feet per minute

Uses: In operations, such as food or chemical handling, that call for non-corrosive and easily cleaned conveyors.

Features: All surfaces may be cleaned or decontaminated with hot water or steam.

Description: Belt operates at variable speeds up to 100 feet per minute in either direction. Reversal is by means of a control switch. Each foot of belt is supported by 8 or more rollers. Belts are available

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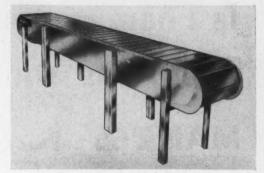
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in widths from 6 to 96" and in lengths up to 175 feet. Units are fabricated in five-foot sections.

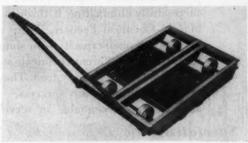
(Pre-Fab conveyor is manufactured by Mercury Industries, Inc., Dept. CP, Hillsdale, N. J. . . . or for more information check CP 2622 on form opposite last page.)

Provides one-man handling of loads up to two tons . . .

steel framed dolly rolls on 24 wheels, is tip-steered

Uses: Moving palletized material, skids and similar loads.

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24-wheel dolly lets one man move two tons

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Description: Rolls on 24 wheels, interlaced and tandem mounted. All wheels are ball-bearing equipped, sparkproof.

(Dolly is made by Roll-Rite Corp., Dept. CP, 801 Jefferson St., Oakland 7, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 2623 on form opposite last page.)

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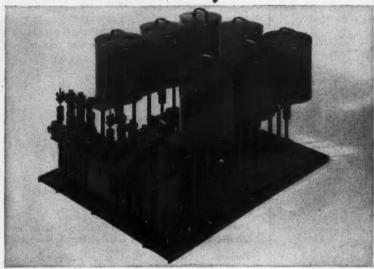
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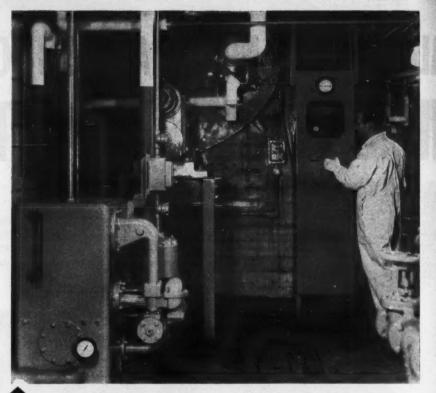
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Vacuum pump system (at left) provides 22-28"
vacuum for dryer jacket

Dryer (in background) has working capacity of 15-16 cu ft. Unit is easily discharged through 8" opening on bottom

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Here's story of how glassed steel conical dryer solved drying problem at Eastman Kodak. Easy-to-clean unit reduces labor, assures high purity product, and . . .

slashes drying time 75%

Organic halide now dried in 20-22 hours

— used to take 4-6 days

By TED F. MEINHOLD, Assistant Editor with RALPH J. BERNER, Chemical Engineer Eastman Kodak Company

Problem: A faster and easier way of drying a corrosive organic halide was sought by Eastman Kodak Company engineers. Old method, using an atmospheric tray dryer, took from 4-6 days and was a tedious operation. Prior to drying, the halide is centrifuged from glacial acetic acid saturated with corrosive HBr. Dry bulk density of material is about 25 lb per cu ft. The high-purity produce is used in the manufacture of materials for color photography.

Solution: Company installed a glassed steel conical dryer-blender for the operation. Consisting of a glassed steel, jacketed, conical tank, rotated by a synchrogear motor with variable-speed drive, dryer is operated under 22-28" vacuum and 175-185°F. Tumbling action speeds drying because it keeps exposing new surface areas from which evaporation can take place. Jacket is of carbon steel and accommodates pressures up to 40 psi. Steam under pressure or vacuum is used for heating.

Dryer vacuum is provided by a two stage Haveg ejector system. The vapor line inside unit is covered with woven glass cloth (National Filter Media, Style G 201) to prevent dust entering the ejector system. Capacity of dryer is about 29 cuft with a working capacity of 16-16 cuft. Unit is filled through a 16" diameter opening and discharged through 8" noz-

zle. Heating steam enters jacket through center of one trunnion and condensate leaves through pipes from top and bottom of jacket and annular space of trunnion.

Results: Material is now dried in 20-22 hours, instead of 4-6 days previously required — cutting time by at least 75%. Cleaning the unit between batches is a simple operation. Glassed steel lining resists corrosion, reduces product adherence, assures high-purity product, and reduces clean-up losses and labor. Filter cloth on vapor pipe is changed about once a week. A second unit has also been installed for drying various other products.

(Conical glassed steel dryer-blenders are product of The Pfaudler Company, Dept. CP, 1000 West Avenue, Rochester 4, New York . . . or for more information check CP 2625 on form opposite last page.)



Glassed steel conical dryer, similar to this one, is used for drying corrosive organic halide at Eastman Kodak Company



Hardinge 9' x 22' Pebble Tube Mill in an Ohio plant producing silica flour.

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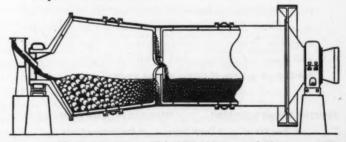
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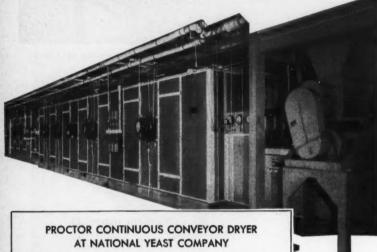
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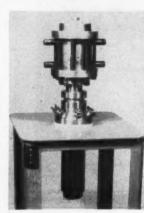
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PROCESSING EQUIPMENT

"Canned" motor agitator drives on reactors don't leak at 10,000 psi . . .

> stuffing boxes and rotary seals eliminated, shaft speeds up to 3450 rpm possible

Conducting high-pressure reactions in pilot plants and laboratories.



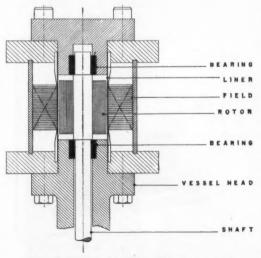
'Canned" motor agitator drive on reactor operates by induction

Features: Reactors have "canned" motor agitator drives. Elimination of stuffing boxes and other rotary seals prevent leakage and contamination of products being processed. Shaft speeds of 600 to 3450 rpm are possible. Pressure range is up to 4000 psi. Drives for pressures to 10,000 psi are possible on special application.

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The "canned" motor doesn't need a stuffing box. Torque of the moving part, or rotor, is created by means of induction through a corrosion-resistant, non-magnetic liner which separates the process fluids from the outside motor winding, or stator. Seals are



Details of agitator drive and attachment to vessel



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provided at each end of this liner and inert carbon bearings carry the shaft supporting the rotor. Rotor is completely shrouded with the material selected for the installation (316 stainless steel, titanium, Inconel, or Hastelloy).

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(Vessels with canned motor agitator drives were developed in conjunction with Chempump Corporation and are products of Pressure Products Industries, Dept. CP, 412 South Warminster Road, Hatboro, Pennsylvania . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 2629 on Readers Service slip which is located opposite last page.)

Boost paper mill capacity with side roll splicing machine . . .

minimizes waste and need for repulping, can join up to five rolls of paper

Uses: Splicing side rolls of paper.

Features: Machine will join together as many as five narrow rolls of paper to produce a single finished roll up to 85" wide. Necessity of repulping side rolls is thereby minimized and saleable mill capacity increased.

Description: Unit consists of two or more stands from which rolls are unwound, rotary grinders which bevel edges to be joined, dust collection system, glue applicators, series of threading rolls, compression rolls, and rewinder for finished roll. Water-cooled brakes are provided to control unwinding and web tension.

In operation, two or more rolls are unwound at speeds of 500 fpm or greater. As surfaces to be joined are ground, slightly more than one-half original thickness is ground off. Grinding dust is collected and may be returned to beaters. Glue is applied to only one of the two surfaces which are then joined and pressed together as they pass through compression rolls and on to rewinder. Resulting seam is about 3%" thick and is same thickness as remainder of stock, with no hump or hollow evident on finished roll.

Machine is approximately 24' long, 14' wide, and 7' high. It handles webs as narrow as 5", and can weld newsprint, strawboard, kraft, liner board, and corrugating medium.

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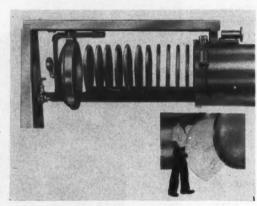
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Hydraulic door, "lift-out" leaves, speed filtering operations on horizontal unit . . .

> each leaf can be removed, snapped-back in place without unfastening a bolt

Various filtering operations in chemical, food, and other industries.

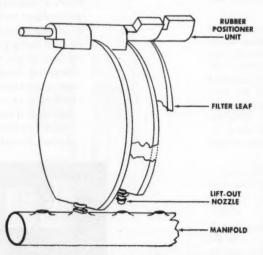
Quick-opening, hydraulically-operated door and "lift-out" leaves speed filtering and clean-



Entire filter assembly can be withdrawn from shell. When opened, leaves are easily removed for cleaning or inspection

ing operations and simplify recovery or disposal of filter cake.

Door is opened quickly with hy-Description: draulic device. There are no bolts or nuts. When opened, leaf assembly can be easily withdrawn from shell. Smaller units have hand cranks for removing assembly. Larger models can be equipped with pneumatic cylinder or gear drive.



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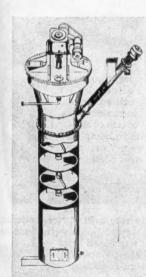
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Uses: Solvent extraction, absorption, adsorption, ore leaching, dissolving, decolorization, and for converting many batch operations into continuous-flow processes.



Continuous contact column exposes liquids to solids more efficiently. Solids are fed into unit through angular pipe at right. Liquid enters column at bottom, flows upward counter-current to settling solids

Features: Column is built of steel, but can be constructed of special metals to resist corrosion, or lined with rubber or other suitable materials as required.

Description:

Flow of solids is regulated by a series system of flow plates with rotating scraper arms. Arms move across plates to plate openings so that solids gravitate to plate below. Plate openings are arranged in staggered rotation so that each plate supports portion of the total solids charge in the unit.

Upward flow of liquid is varied depending upon ratio of sp gr of solids

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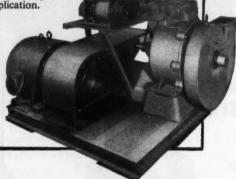
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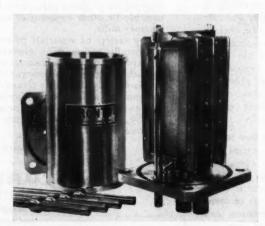
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unit is 16" high, has 61/2" shell diameter

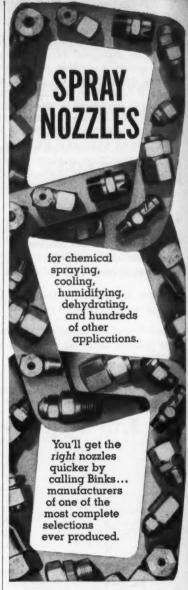
Uses: Designed for filtration research, and for the determination of filtration characteristics needed for production-filter selection.

Features: Compact filter measures 16" high and has 6½" shell diameter. Unit can be set up in plant or laboratory. Design permits use of one, two, or three vertical filter leaves.

Description: Pilot filter can be used to obtain specific filtering rates of liquids in gpm per sq ft.



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With three identical leaves, spaced at $1\frac{1}{2}$ " centers, a net filtering area of 1 sq ft is provided. Leaves are covered with 24x110 Dutch weave metal cloth, bound in U-shaped frames. Leaf outlet nozzles are sealed by O-rings. Filter is constructed of stainless steel and has maximum working pressure of 80 psi. Major pipe connections are located in base plate so that unit can be disassembled simply by removing nuts from four tie-rods.

(Pronto-junior filter is product of American Plant Equipment Company, Dept. CP, 220 Fifth Avenue, New York 1, New York . . . or for more information check CP 2639 on form opposite last page.)

Outlines cost savings provided by rotary tube dryers

Cost savings provided by rotary steam tube dryers for soda ash and allied industries are outlined in eight-page bulletin. Complete with photographs, literature outlines in detail the mechanical features of the units.

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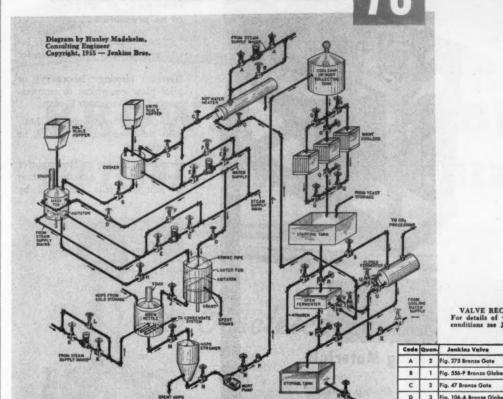
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Wondering which types of equipment to use in the process you're planning or revising? Each month, CHEMICAL PROCESSING brings you news about latest developments in filters, stills, evaporators, heat exchangers, dryers, other process units. Check the alphabetical Product Directory, pages 218 to 220, to see what's discussed in this issue.

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VALVE RECOMMENDATIONS For details of valves to suit varying conditions see Jenkins Catalog.

Fig. 204 I.B. Gate
Fig. 576-P Bronze Globe
Fig. 677-A Bronze Gate

Fig. 675-A Bronze Gate

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Fig. 673-A Bronze Gate

Fig. 352 Bronze Swing

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Fig. 204 1.8. Gate

Shutoff water heater Continuous

Shutoff finished

Bypass to kettle

Pump shutoff

Prevent backflow

Shutoff coolers

Krausen line

Shutoff storage

Shutoff rack & bottling

Shutoff well wa

How to plan piping connections for a GRAVITY-FEED MULTIPLE-STORY BREWERY

This piping layout is typical of installations in many breweries designed for gravity-feed processing, and the principal operations are briefly outlined.

Corn grits are cooked with water in the cooker, with enough added malt to convert and liquefy the grits. When the malt, which has been mixed with water in the mash tub, is properly steeped, the finished cook is dropped into it and the resulting mash thoroughly mixed.

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in the brow kettle, the wort is boiled with hops to add flavor and to clarify and preserve it. The hops are then strained off, and the liquid is pumped to the "coolship" tank to settle. It then goes through coolers to reclaim most of the residual heat, and on to the starting tank.

In the starting tank, the yeast is added, and the mixture flows to the fermenters, some of which are closed to collect the carbon dioxide gas for future use. After fermentation, the beer is cooled again and sent to storage tanks for eventual bottling and racking.

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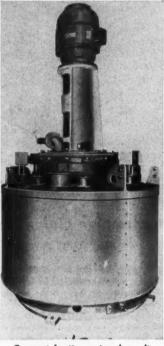
Heats small equipment from 650° to 1000°F. at no pressure . . .

> uses eutectic mixture of inorganic salts for heat-transfer

Heating laboratory or pilot plant equipment to temperatures of 650° to 1000°F.

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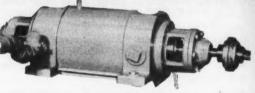


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Du Pont under name of Hi-Tec.) System consists of an insulated steel tank which holds the process salt, salt pump, electrical heaters. Heaters are stainless steel-sheathed units, suspended from cover into salt. Heaters may be removed individually. Systems range in heating capacities from 10,000 to 250,000 Btu per hr, and are available in three tank sizes (800, 1100, and 2200 lb salt capacity). Smallest unit is 6'-6" tall and has 2'-9" diameter.

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Salt pump is submerged-impeller centrifugal-type mounted directly on cover. Low-temperature cut-out forestalls operation of pump until salt reaches predetermined temperature. High-temperature alarm sounds if salt temperature goes over safe limit (1000°F).

Instruments are wired into separate panel board which can be placed at any distance from main unit. System can be operated either automatically or manually. Unit can also be used for cooling by adding accessory equipment.

(Beth-Tec heating unit is product of Bethlehem Foundry and Machine Company, Dept. CP, Bethlehem, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2645 opposite last page.)

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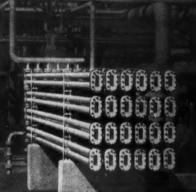


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No major moving parts present in large capacity absorption refrigerating units . . .

made in 100 to 700-ton sizes, machines make chilled water from almost any source of heat

Uses: Producing chilled water. Can be applied to chilling and condensing of other products as well.

Features: Machines have no major moving parts

Features: Machines have no major moving parts and can produce chilled water from almost any economical source of heat. Quiet and vibrationless, units can be installed almost anywhere in plant.

Description: Absorption refrigerating machines are available in 11 sizes ranging from 100 to 700



Quiet and vibrationless, absorption refrigerating machine can be installed almost anywhere in plant

tons capacity. If steam is used as heat source, machines can operate on pressure as low as 12 psi — which may be obtained from back-pressure turbines or as exhaust from processing operations.

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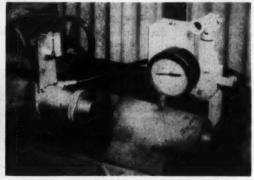
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device easily installed; only machining required is drilling, tapping four small holes

Uses: Closing plate-and-frame filters.

Features: Converts any mechanically-operated filter press to hydraulic operation — eliminating excess labor and reducing shutdown time.

Description: Device consists of a hydraulic ram which replaces thrust or filler block and pushes against the closing screw. Hydraulic fluid for ram is supplied by manually operated pump. All contact surfaces are chrome-plated. Unit is equipped with

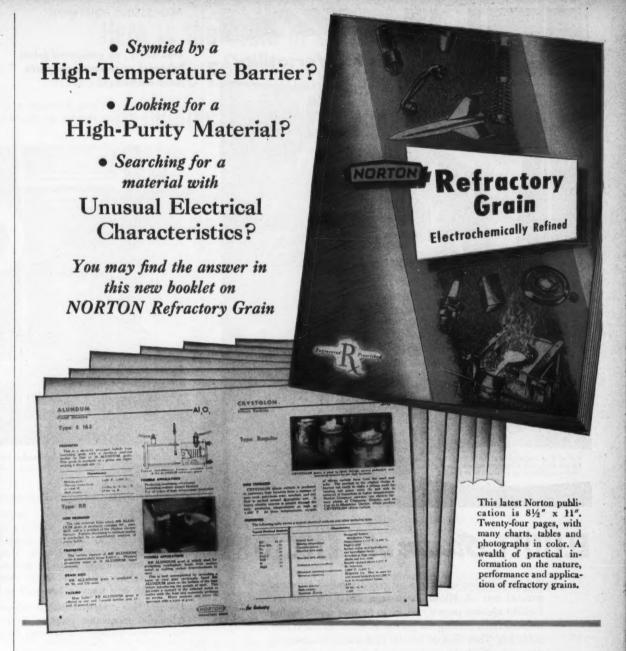


Hydraulic closing device has built-in positive stop to prevent overstroking

a 4½" pressure gage mounted on top of pump. Adjustable red pointer can be set to any desired tonnage, whereby given settings may be repeated easily and quickly. Built-in positive stop prevents overstroking.

Installation is quick and simple. Only machining required is drilling and tapping four small holes to mount pump on crosshead. Bolt hole that mounts filler block is also used to mount the device. Units are available in five standard models, from 30 tons capacity with 3" stroke to 120 tons with 6" stroke. Longer or shorter stroke can be supplied on order.

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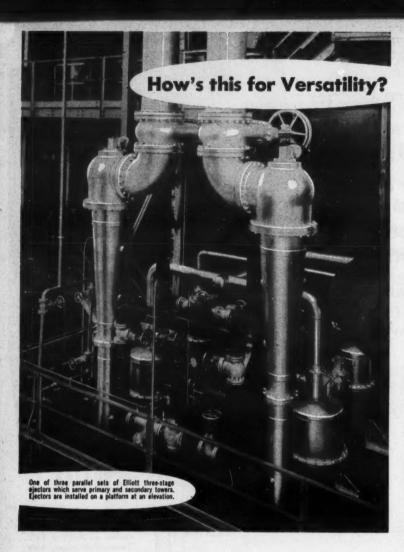
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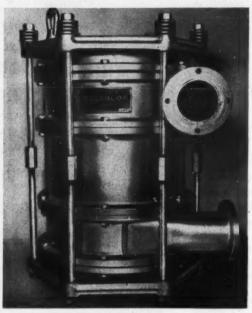
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Flexibility, no cemented joints features of compact graphite heat exchanger . . .

> heat transfer area increased or decreased easily by changing number of graphite blocks

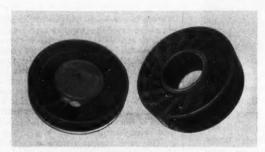


Outer casing of graphite heat exchanger consists of sectional metal ring-shaped elements bolted together

Uses: Heating and cooling corrosive fluids.

Compact units have no cemented joints; Features: corrosives contact only impermeable graphite surfaces. Heat transfer area can be easily changed by changing the number of graphite blocks. Graphite crystals are properly oriented to assure maximum heat conductivity. Short passages in blocks create high turbulence, high heat transfer, low scale or film removal.

Description: Heat exchanger consists of a pile of cylindrical monolithic graphite blocks having two sets of flow passages for the two fluids. One set is



Monolithic graphite blocks (right) have one set of flow passages parallel to axis and a second set arranged radially. Graphite header (left) is used at top and bottom of pile



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parallel to the axis and the second is arranged radially. Complete pile is held in compression by top and bottom headers (also graphite) and exterior tie bars. Outer casing of unit consists of sectional metal ring-shaped elements bolted together.

Exchangers are available with up to 20 blocks in either standard (18.988" diameter) or small (9.252" diameter) models. Two-block standard unit measures approximately 17" long and has 11 sq ft heat transfer surface. Three-block small model is about 18" long and has 3.3 sq ft heat transfer area.

(Le Carbone graphite heat exchangers are product of The Carbone Corporation, Dept. CP, Boonton, N. J. . . . or for more information check CP 2656 on form opposite last page.)

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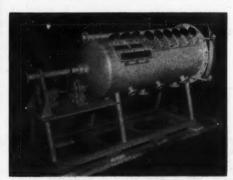
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Packaged reaction-distillation pilot plant is described in two-page data sheet. Unit has 15-gal capacity and is designed for experimental work in resin manufacturing and similar processes. Schematic drawing and photographs illustrate unit and accompanying instruments.

Data sheet on 15-gal pilot plant is issued by the Patterson-Kelley Company, Inc., Dept. CP, 10 Lackawanna Ave., East Stroudsburg, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2657 on form opposite last page.



Filter has sight ports

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(Self-cleaning filter is product of Hercules Filter Corporation, Dept. CP, Ethyl Avenue, Hawthorne, New Jersey . . . or for more information check CP 2658 on form opposite last page.)

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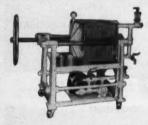
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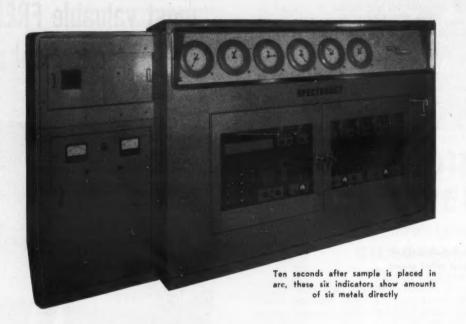
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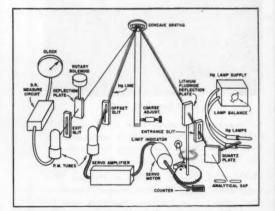
Spectroscopic analyzer works in plant environment

Its readings show amounts of six metals directly

Designed for direct metal analysis, this instrument supplants regular laboratory routines. It can be used at virtually any location in the plant compensation and sealed construction make it insensitive to temperature and humidity changes. Dust-tight chambers protect delicate mechanisms from dust damage.

In standard set-up it analyzes for chromium, magnesium, silicon, manganese, copper, iron, and nickel. To make a simultaneous analysis for six of these metals, sample is placed between electrodes and arc light from it is split by a three-meter 15,-000 line grating. In ten seconds a quantitative reading for six of these metals is available on "clocks" at instrument face.

Behind this instrument is the reasoning that laboratory instruments require a laboratory for proper



Overall schematic of analyzer shows servo-loop which corrects for differences of temperature, humidity

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operation. Cost of the air-conditioned laboratory—especially where it is installed specifically for the instrument—is high enough to justify a special instrument design that can do away with need for a lab. Optical system of this design is isolated from its environment by a sealed chamber made of steel pipe. Sealed enclosure at one end houses grating; enclosure at other end has a quartz window for light entrance and house photomultiplier tubes.

For other parts of the instrument less stringent saling is needed. Electronic sections are sealed to exclude dust. Source unit, while not sealed, is designed to minimize effects of dust and contacts in it are covered.

Second problem of plant environment is physical shock. Shock mountings provide the obvious answer to this one.

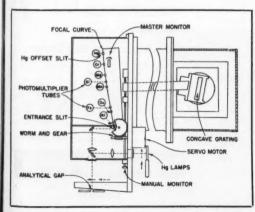
To get away from effects of varying temperature and humidity, a servo monitoring device is used. This system keeps tabs on light from mercury vapor lamps and adjusts exist slits for alignment. As this reference slit is moved (maximum movement is about 40 microns for temperatures from 66 to 92°F, humidities from 40 to 90 per cent) slits for other metal lines are moved correspondingly.

Throughout its design, this instrument shows originality rather than adaption. Mechanism of operation has been kept simple — with resultant reliability. One example of this is a circuit timer which replaces a rotary timer, four relays, and six time-delay timers in conventional laboratory units.

Optical System

Optical layout of instrument includes analytical gap, quartz entrance window, lens, mirror and entrance slit. Light then travels through steel pipe enclosure (shown foreshortened here) to grating. Grating itself is an original four-inch, 15,000

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Optical system shows grating in sealed housing



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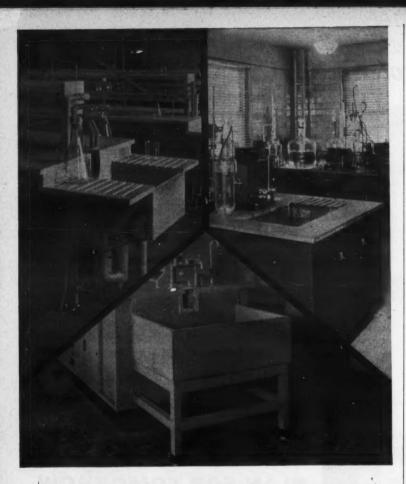
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Light from the mercury lamps is produced by alternate half-cycles of 60 cps line voltage. After passing through its path within the optical enclosure light from both lamps falls on an "offset slit." Two openings of this slit, one above the other, are laterally displaced so that left edge of upper slit is over right edge of lower.

Since light from upper lamp hits upper slit, and light from lower lamp hits lower slit, light from both lamps is attenuated by slit edge — though by right edge in one case and left edge in the other. There is only one position where light passing through offset slit will be equal in both halves of the cycle. Any output other than this is amplified to drive a servo motor which positions a lithium fluoride deflection plate. Located in the incoming light beam, this plate adjusts position of entire spectrum.

(Spectromet analyzer is a development of Baird Associates, Inc., Dept. CP, 33 University Rd., Cambridge 38, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 2663 on form opposite last page.)

Measures vapor equivalent of liquid unit-volume in ten minutes . . .

can be used with any liquid with vapor pressure of more than 4 mm at test temperatures

Uses: Rapid and easy determination of vapor equivalent in residues from natural gas samples, or any liquid with vapor pressure of more than 4 mm at test temperature.

Features: Instrument measures volume of vapor produced by unit volume of liquid in approximately 10 minutes.

Description: Apparatus consists of vaporization bulb with an integral multiplying manometer, removable sample entry system consisting of an orifice and matching pycnometer, electric heater. All components are mounted within a glass constant-temperature bath.

Procedure consists of filling the pycnometer with sample, admitting sample to vaporization bulb,

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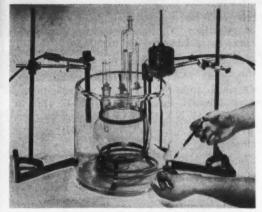
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(Vapor equivalent apparatus is product of Central Scientific Company, Dept. CP, 1700 Irving Park Road, Chicago, Ill. Check CP 2665 opp. last page.)

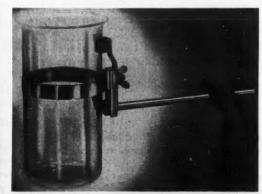
Spring steel strap clamps glass all around

Uses: Three sizes of strap clamp accommodate laboratory glassware 1 to 2" in diameter, 2 to 3", and 3 to 6" in diameter.

Features: Evenly distributed clamping pressure tends to reduce glassware breakage.

Description: Strap of spring steel encircles entire circumference of laboratory glassware. Even when tightened down, this arrangement brings

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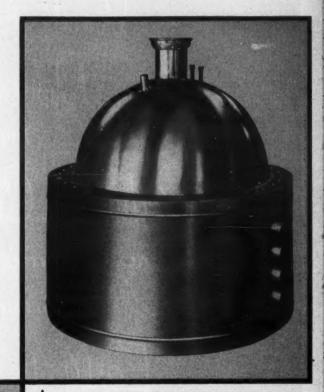
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pressure to bear evenly around entire circumference of glassware. While held tightly, glassware is somewhat flexible on the stand.

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(Rimenco laboratory clamp is available through R. I. Mendels, Inc., Dept. CP, 41 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N.Y. Check CP 2668 opp. last page.)

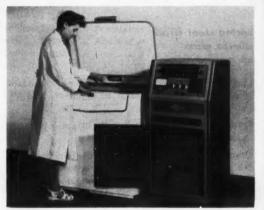
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counts isotopes with low beta energies as tritium and carbon-14

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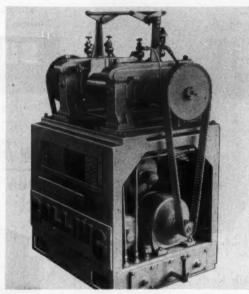
Ingenious motor arrangement puts two in same space as one . . .

dual motor lab mill has 8:1 speed control of either roller independently

Uses: Can be used for ink, pigment, and other usual laboratory milling tests.

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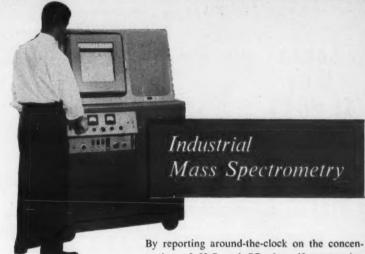


Two-motor mill is shown here with guards and sides removed. Note motor mounting which saves space

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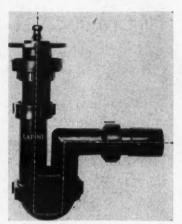
Redesigned sink trap has all parts visible . . .

> all polyethylene construction, can be disassembled by hand

As a trap for laboratory Uses: sinks where corrosive material would damage metal.

Features: Redesigned plastic sink trap makes all parts visible from exterior. Any damage to outflow pipe can be readily seen without dismantling trap.

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Trap is equivalent of 11/2-inch NPS pipe

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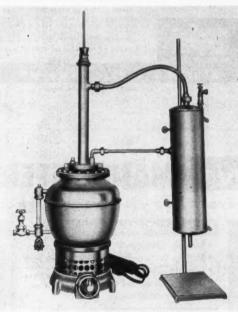
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use one-gallon solvent recovery still for carbon "tet" or other solvents

Uses: Recovering laboratory solvents as carbon "tet", petroleum ether, gasoline, alcohol, benzene, other extraction vehicles and solvents.

Features: Still is designed to recover very volatile solvents and has a 3-heat control switch.

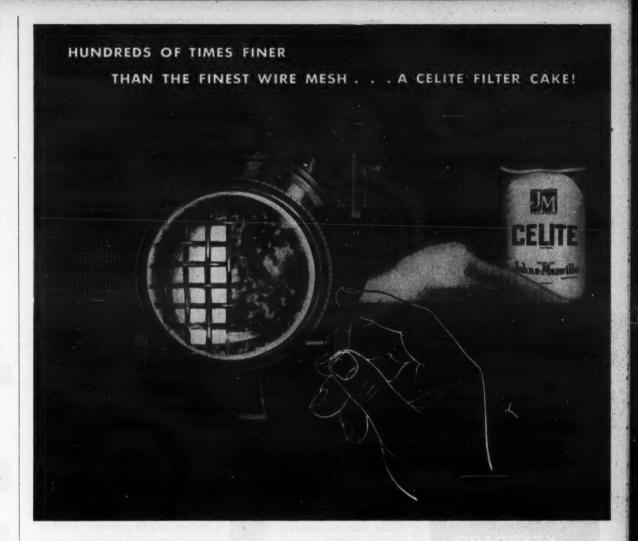
Description: Apparatus consists of a one-gallon retort with a distilling column, a water-cooled condenser of the Hallock model but modified to contain two separate tubes. Main tube serves as the condenser and the other acts as a preheater for the raw solvent.



One-gallon still has condenser coil of block tin

Retort is made of spun copper, and the distilling column is seamless brass. Condenser water-jacket and pre-heating tube are copper; condenser coil is block tin alloyed with silver. All fittings and valves are brass, except inlet feed valve which is bronze. Hot plate uses nickel-chromium ribbon elements imbedded in a refractory substance. Overall height is 29" and weight is 35 lb. Two models are available, one for 115v AC/DC, 660 watts, and the other for 230v AC/DC 660 watts.

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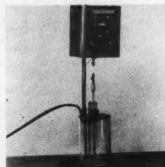
Measures gel time by viscosity drag of sample . . .

switch is thrown at gel time and sounds buzzer

Uses: To identify gelatin point of thermosetting resins, monomers, varnishes.

Features: Instrument stops automatically when gel point is reached.

Description: Meter consists of motor-driven, rotating spindle



Sudden viscosity increase gives gel-time measurement

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Check the handy product directory, pages 218 to 220, for more laboratory items. All products and ideas discussed in this issue are listed.

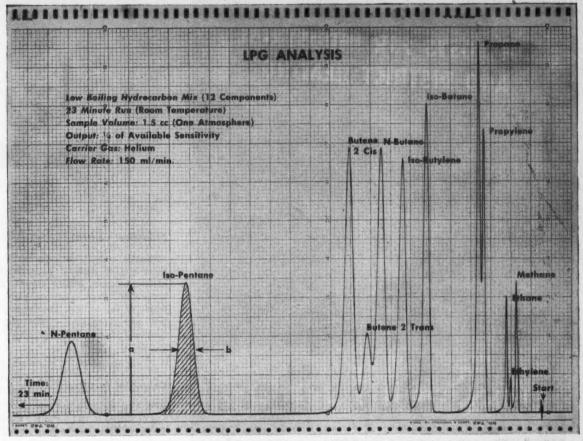


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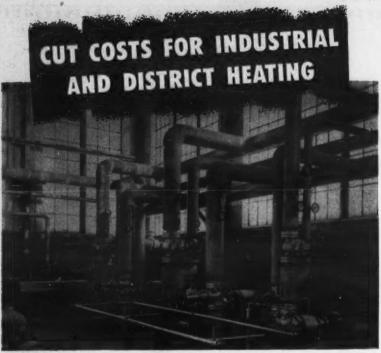
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Statistical control

Statistical control in continuous chemical processing is analyzed under headings of quality concepts, human aspects, points of application, steps in control plan, and example of the method. Four pages, one figure, five references. ("Industrial Quality Control," August, 1955, page 19.)

Caking of fertilizer

Effects of surface-active agents on the caking of stored mixed fertilizer are reported. Benefits from use of surfactants depend upon manufacturing methods, raw materials, and processing equipment. Four pages, seven figures, two references. ("Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry," August, 1955, page 669.)

Clay slurries

How to handle coating clay slurries is revealed under headings of storage, makedown, hopper bottom shipments, unloading methods, and comparative costs. Isometric and other layouts are included. Three pages, two tables, four figures. ("Southern Pulp and Paper Manufacturer," August, 1955, page 35.)

Water clarifiers

Aspects of the design of water softeners and clarifiers include derivation of modern units, seeding in chemical reactions, separation of solids from treated water, flow rates, contact units for solids, and surges in unit loading. Design equations based on Stoke's Law are presented. Seven pages, nine figures, seven references. ("Water and Sewage Works," Angust, 1955, page 342.)

Stainless Steel

Desirable mechanical properties for Crucible HNM stainless steel intended for high-temperature service are attained by heat treatment. Best balance of strength and ductility is achieved with a solution temperature of 2000°F and with oil quenching. Stress rupture and tensile properties are tabulated. Three pages, four tables, one figure, three references. ("Iron Age." September 29, 1955, page 65.)

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Survey of valves

Control of fluid flow with left, check, angle, gate, globe, swing check, lap, and relief valves is presented in chatty story form. Four pages. ("Heating, Piping, and Air Conditioning." September, 1955, page 126.)

Superpurity aluminum

Measurements of electrical resistivity, X-ray line breadth, and hardness aid in recovery of superpurity aluminum. These properties regain at different rates and show different activation energies. Recrystallization is studied by means of a micrographic method. Twelve pages, six tables, 24 figures, 30 references. ("Journal of Metals." Section 2, Sept., 1955, page 1053.)

Freon 12

Data, plots, and equations represent the latest research on the thermodynamic properties of Freon 12, dichlorodifluoromethane. Thirteen pages, seven tables, four figures, 13 references. ("Refrigerating Engineering." September, 1955, page 32.)

abstracts of pertinent articles in other industrial publications . . . selected by CP editors as a service to you . . .

Role of sodium in plastics

Use of sodium in preparing monomers, polymers, plasticizers, and stabilizers is outlined. Sodium and sodium-potassium alloy (Na-K) as heat transfer media, and the handling of sodium are discussed. Four pages, three photographs, 19 references. ("Modern Plastics," August, 1955, page 150.)

Heat transfer

Data for natural convection to cold horizontal cylinders surrounded by hot fluids are correlated. Substantial agreement with data for natural convection from warm horizontal cylinders to cold fluids is demonstrated. Four pages, one table, two figures, four references. ("Industrial and Engineering Chemistry," August 1955, page 1547.)

Dyeing Dacron and Nylon

Orthophenylphenol and other carriers for dyeing Dacron are reviewed and removal of residual carrier by heat treatment is covered. Applications of Capracyl dyes and leveling salt to spun Nylon are included. Five pages, two tables, seven figures, nine references. ("American Dyestuff Reporter." September, 1955, page 662.)

Engineering education

The committee on the evaluation of engineering education, appointed by the American Society for Engineering Education, recommends strengthening of work in mathematics, chemistry, and physics and the development of high levels of performance in oral, written, and graphical communications. Thirty-five pages. ("Journal of Engineering Education," September, 1955, page 25.)

Atomic heat

The familiar problems of high temperature, pressure, heat transfer, and circulation confront designers of boilers when they abstract heat from atomic reactors. Six pages, seven figures, three references. ("Power." August, 1955, page 96.)

Lithium

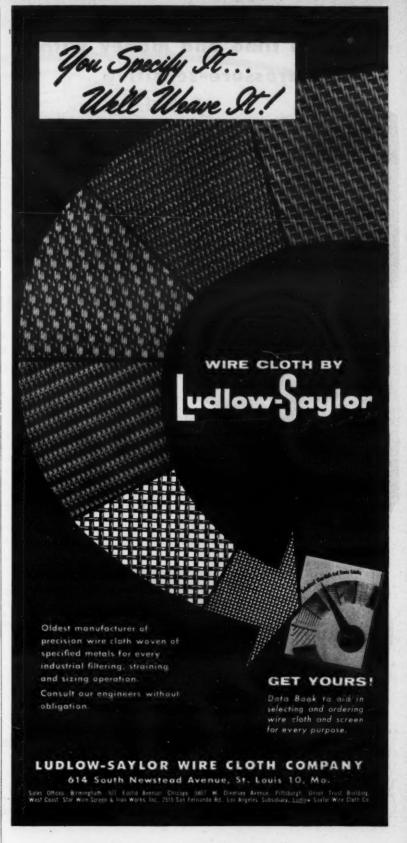
A series of papers on the lithium industry deals with expansion to meet current demand, pegmatite, supply of product, profitable processing of lithium, and its versatility. Lithium deuteride may be the key to peacetime electrical power. Fifteen pages, four figures, eight tables, eight photographs. ("Engineering and Mining Journal," September, 1955, page 75.)

High-analysis fertilizers

Hydrolysis of metaphosphate is basic to production of high-analysis fertilizers. Any common P, P-K, N-P, or N-P-K ratio can be attained by proper methods. Procedures that cover enriched superphosphate and mixed fertilizers are described. Three pages, two figures. ("Farm Chemicals," September, 1955, page 38.)

Industrial filtration

From England comes a discussion of the theory of filtration and six steps preliminary to industrial filtration: settling, decanting, and thickening; classifying and separating slime; adjusting temperature and reducing viscosity; adjusting pH; flocculating, coagulating and other chemical conditioning; and adding of filter aid. Three pages, two figures, 10 references. ("The Industrial Chemist," September, 1955, page 452.)



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Replacement of vacuum fillers by simple constant volume filler . . .

drops filling losses fourteen per cent

In filling bottles with a high-Problem: ly purified grade of trichloroethylene registered under the trade name Trilene®, Ayerst Laboratories Incorporated, of Rouses Point, found vacuum fillers to be unsatisfactory.

Vacuum fillers resulted in excessive overfills and evaporation losses which combined amounted to as much as 15% loss.

In place of the vacuum fillers. Averst Laboratories installed an electronically operated filler. This filler consists of a tank, a float to maintain accurate level, magnetically-operated filling valves and an electronic timer to control the valves. When a bottle is put under the filling spout, timer is automatically "fired" by microswitch and the valve for that spout opens for a definite interval of time. With a constant level and constant time, constant fill is obtained.

Amount of fill is adjustable by the timer setting. There is no need for a complex valve or piston arrangement requiring castings, machining, costly fittings.

Results: Since installing the new filler, product loss during fill has dropped from as much as 15% to 1%. There is a decided drop in vapor content of product in the air. Also, the filler has provided great consistency in the amount of fill.

Averst was not particularly interested in a high speed filler since Trilene® is a high quality product with many points of check and control. They are, however, interested in filling an exact amount of product in each container. New filler has solved this for them very neatly.

(M-D Electromatic filler is a product of the Mojonnier-Dawson Co., Dept. CP, 9151 Fullerton Ave., Franklin Park, Ill. Check CP 2691 opposite last page.)

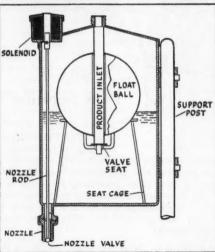
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Trilene® filler is shown at center of picture. To operator's right is bottle blower, which is exhausted with small vacuum cleaner. Blower feeds air to bottles through nozzle equipped with solenoid valve, which is actuated through a micro-switch when bottle is placed on conveyor. Filler to left of operator is used for non-volatile liquids

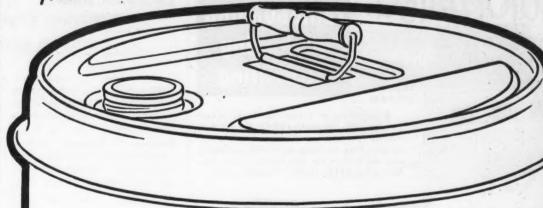
Center operator is placing capped bottles below captightening machine. Operator at left is applying labels while operator at right watches filling operations





Operation of filler is based on fact that at a constant head, liquid will flow through an orifice at a constant rate. Material to be filled is kept at constant level above a nozzle in a tank and opening of nozzle is controlled by electronic timer so that each bottle is filled with uniform volume of product

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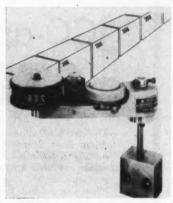
Self-powered, printer handles variety of type . . .

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Uses: Prints names, dates, trademarks or other identification on boxes or similar containers at conveyor station.

Features: Automatic unit is friction powered, self-inking, uses rubber type available in all point sizes and fonts.

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Automatic printer is friction powered, self-inking

gage steel. Interchangeable type is instantly removable.

(Unit is product of Krengel Manufacturing Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 227 Fulton St., New York 7, N.Y. . . . check CP 2695 on form opposite last page.)

Replaces paper labels, cuts inventories . . .

printer handles containers from 1/32 to 1 gallon at 1500/hr

Uses: Imprinting variable data such as color, batch number, content, etc. directly on lithographed or preprinted cans or other cylindrical containers.

Features: Unit is adjustable for marking containers ranging in size from 1/32, to 1 gallon. Machine will make up to 1500

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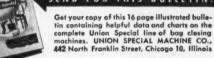
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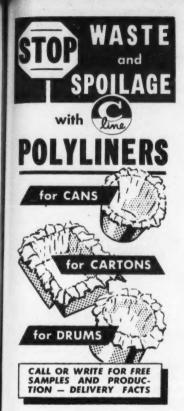
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"What's A
New Solution"?

It's an article in CHEM-ICAL PROCESSING describing a new way of

solving a tough plant operating problem. In each issue you will find specific "case histories" showing how these processing problems were solved. Each article states the operating problem . . . explains the process used and gives details of how problem was solved . . . shows results secured.

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Speed packaging operation while improving appearance

Problem: Zep Manufacturing Corporation of Dallas, Texas, manufactures a line of chemicals and equipment for sanitary maintenance. At present this line includes over 500 different items. Since a large portion of this output is distributed by mail order, this manufacturer has always been very conscious of the appearance of their packages. In manufacturing this great quantity of products, even a small hitch in packaging can be a real cumulative headache.

In sealing cartons containing cans of liquid cleaners and liquid waxes such a problem arose. Zep was using a "pull and tear" type of tape dispensing machine. This machine was giving packages rough corners, estimated length of tape was not always accurate, and machines themselves were hard to handle if operator did not hold them down during taping operation. On several occasions machines tipped over when operator tried to pull tape.

Solution: Zep installed a coded-type dispenser which automatically measures, dispenses, moistens, and cuts the tape. This allows operators to get accurate lengths of tape with square ends.

Results: Using this dispenser Zep has been able to improve the appearance of its cartons while speeding packaging operations. Operation is much

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Portable tape dispenser prevents unattractive sealing of packages due to rough corners. Operator simply pulls lever, turns it loose, and has desired length of tape ready for sticking. Tipping of dispenser, experienced with pull and tear type machines, is completely eliminated with this unit





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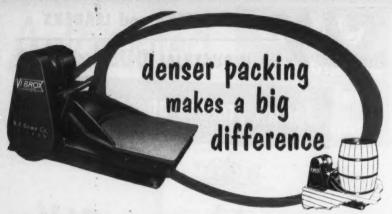
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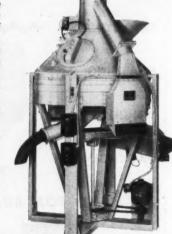
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Printer has capacity of 1500 cans per hour

imprints per hour. Maximum imprint area is 2 x 6".

Description: Containers are printed as a sliding carriage, which holds the can, is moved from right to left. After imprinting, can is ejected onto conveyor or removed manually.

(Printer is product of Markem Machine Co., Dept. CP, Keene 52, New Hampshire . . . or for more information check 2701 on form opposite last page.)

Aerosols unlimited theme of booklet

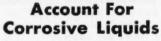
Twelve page booklet, printed in three colors, gives background and explains aerosol packaging industry. It points out that last year annual dollar volume reached one-quarter billion.

While not heavily technical, text explains what an aerosol is, how aerosol products are packaged, and mechanism of the container and its operation. Typical aerosol production process is pictured.

"Aerosols Unlimited" is issued by Sprayon Products, Inc., Dept. CP, 2075 E. 65th St., Cleveland 3, Ohio. When inquiring specify CP 2702 on form opposite last page.



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faster since operator simply pulls lever and releases it for the desired length of tape moistened, ready for application. Also it has been found that much less waste results from correct measuring and moistening of the tape.

Since the machine is easily portable it is used in all parts of the warehouse to seal cartons which have been filled and to reseal cartons which have been opened for some reason.

(Dispenser is a product of Better Packages, Inc., Dept. CP, Shelton, Conn. . . . or for more information check CP 2706 on form opposite last page.)

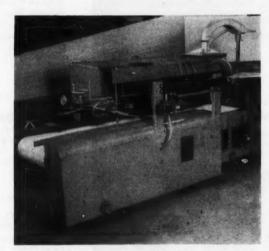
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Vacuum lifting arm rejects cracked or broken bottles

requirements of unscrambling and filling operations. Changeover from one carton size to another in five minutes. Unloader weighs 1500 lb, occupies floor space 6 x 9'.

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CHEM SHOW ADDENDA

Here are additional exhibits planned for the 25th Exposition of Chemical Industries. Information was received too late for the 23-page listing which appeared in last month's CHEMICAL PROCESSING.



BAKER PERKINS INC. Saginaw, Michigan

Chemical Machinery Division will exhibit mixing and kneading machinery, centrifugals, and other chemical process machinery.

ECLIPSE FUEL ENGINEERING COMPANY Rockford, Illinois

Will show direct-fired process heating equipment — including burners, fuel mixers, and controls.

FENWAL INCORPORATED Ashland, Massachusetts

Thermistor-actuated temperature controller will feature adjustable bandwidth, proportioning control, and on-off control with indication. Wire lead length to sensing element is not critical.

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HEIL PROCESS EQUIPMENT CORPORATION Cleveland, Ohio

Will show solid plastic fan for use with strong acid or alkali fumes. Portable acid storage tanks, plastic ventilation equipment, and imprevious-graphite heat exchangers will also be included.

LINK-BELT COMPANY

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Rotary dryer, Bulk-Flo and oscillating conveyors will be shown. Another important development will be a liquid vibrating screen. Standard line of components and chain will also be on display.

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RODNEY HUNT MACHINE CO. Orange, Massachusetts

Continuous evaporation and spray drying equipment. Exhibit will feature Turba-Film evaporator designed for processing heat-sensitive and heavy viscous materials.

LO. KOVEN & BROTHER, INC.

Photographs of equipment used in X-ray testing of pressure vessels will be exhibited, in addition to other equipment for the chemical processing industries.

LUKENS STEEL COMPANY

Samples, fabrication procedures, welding techniques, and model cutaway vessel of clad steel will be shown.

MARCO COMPANY, INC. Saginaw, Michigan

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Exhibit will feature continuous reactors and various models of Flow-Master pumps.

MINNEAPOLIS-HONEYWELL REGULATOR CO. Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania

Industrial Division will exhibit a very fast (¼-second) stripchart recorder. Features null-balance and 11-inch wide chart. Blind pneumatic transmitter offers complete rangeability without adding or changing parts. Improved miniature pneumatic instruments, data handling systems, and diaphragm control valves are also included.

OWENS-CORNING FIBERGLAS CORPORATION Toledo, Ohio

Will exhibit Kaylo "20", a high-temperature insulation. It will handle temperatures from 0°F up to 1800°F. Fiberglas insulation, reinforced plastic tanks and pipes will also be shown.

THE PATTERSON FOUNDRY AND MACHINE COMPANY East Liverpool, Ohio

Will exhibit dispersion mill, pebble and ball mills, and conical vacuum dryer.

PETRO-CHEM DEVELOPMENT CO. INC. New York 17, New York

Will exhibit direct-fired furnaces.

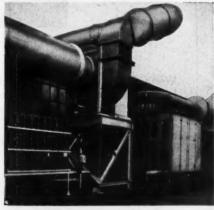
TAYLOR INSTRUMENT COMPANIES Rochester, New York

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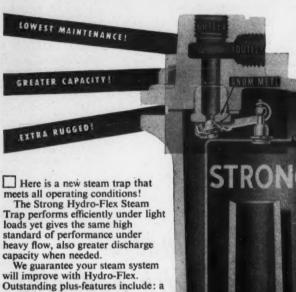
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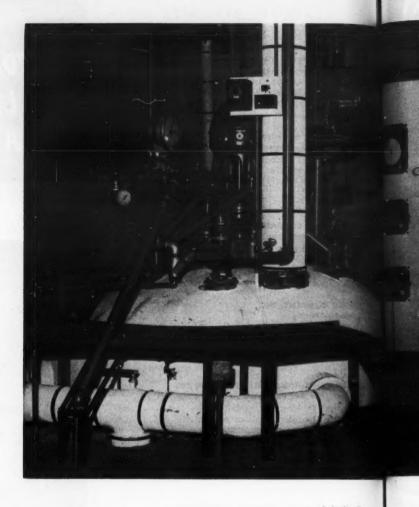
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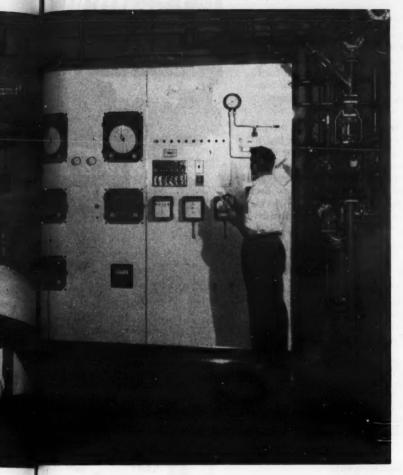


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oil at about 275°F and the batch at about 125°F. Overall heat transfer coefficient at these unfavorable conditions was found to be in the neighborhood of 30 Btu/hr/sq ft/°F. Inside film coefficient of the fatty organic material is the controlling resistance at this temperature. Resistance of the heat transfer oil film is relatively low.

Heat source is an International-LaMont thermal forced recirculation heater of three million Btu/hr capacity. Designed to handle heat transfer fluids at elevated temperatures, heater is fired by a dual type burner for either natural gas or fuel oil. Water-cooled centrifugal pump circulates heat transfer oil through agitator nozzles in jacket of reactor. This provides uniform heat distribution without danger of overheating.

(Aroclor heat transfer oil is product of Monsanto Chemical Co., Dept. CP, 1700 S. Second St., St. Louis 4, Mo. . . . or for more information check CP 2714 opposite last page.)

(High temperature heating system was engineered by American Hydrotherm Corp., Dept. CP, 33-70 12th St., Long Island City 6, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2714A opposite last page.)

(Glass-lined vessel is product of The Pfaudler Co., Dept. CP, 1000 West Ave., Rochester 3, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2714B on form opposite last page.)

Fungus and heat requirements of government specs met by vinyl tubing . . .

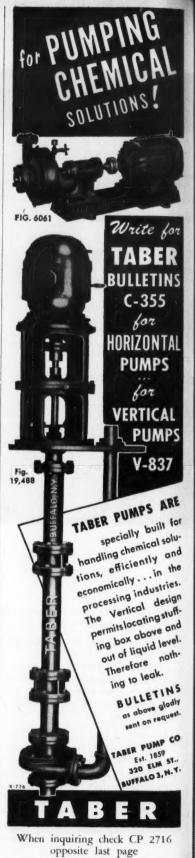
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Splash-proof, dust-tight air cylinder control valves . . .

removal of cover renders valve electrically inoperative

Uses: Air cylinder control.

Features: Solenoid covers of air cylinder control valve are zinc alloy and gasketed to be splash-proof and dust-tight. Control valves are electrically inoperative when solenoid cover is removed.

Description: At end of cover is a button which can be worked with a small screwdriver to provide



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(Air cylinder control valves are a product of Hannifin Corp., Dept. CP, 568 South Wolf

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Exterior wear reduced, longer service life given hose . . .

vinyl wearstrip increases use in applications formerly considered too severe

Uses: Ducting for spot air conditioning, ventilating, dust collection, fume control, and material handling.

Features: A vinyl plastic wearstrip bonded over spiral wire reinforcement on lightweight flexible hose and ducting greatly reduces exterior wear from contact with rough and abrasive surfaces.

Description: Wear-resistant feature assures longer service life and affords possibilities for use in applications formerly considered too severe for lightweight hoses. Wearstrip is available for flexible hoses in 4 to 12" ID and retractable ducts in sizes 3 to 36" ID.

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Uses: Present applications of tubing include bellows, low pressure heat exchanger tubes, flexible hose, electron power tube anodes and cathodes, fractional hp motor casings, casings for radioactive well logging instruments.

Features: Tubing is supplied in sizes up to 2-1/16 OD, in lengths up to 28 feet max.

Light-wall stainless tubing comes in AISI Types 304, 321, 347, and in Monel metal. Minimum OD is 7/8". Various wall thicknesses are

(Weldrawn tubing is product of Superior Tube Company, Dept. CP, 1512 Germantown Ave., Norristown, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2721 on form opposite last page.)

Metal-cutting tool bits made of alumina cut faster . . .

> in addition to being less costly, tests show they need no coolant, give excellent surface finish

Uses: As a cutting tool bit for use on many metals.

Features: Ceramic cutting tools are less expensive than conventional tools. Machining tests from steel, commercial brass, and low-alloy cast iron show that the hardness, high-temp strength, and wear-resistance properties of cutting tools are superior to metallic



Work piece and ceramic cutting tool remain cool to touch without coolant when operated with proper tool geometry and chip breaker adjustment

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tool compositions. Tool bits can be operated at higher speeds: up to three times faster than normal. They require no cooling and produce excellent surface finish. The finish is attributed to absence of top face cratering by chip friction due to low affinity of ceramic for metals.

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Description: Cutting tools are made of aluminum oxide and are available in experimental quantities.

They are held by means of heavy, rigid tool holders to overcome cheracteristics of lower tensile strength at room temp and less thermal shock resistance.

Because of remarkable heat resistance of tools, blanks may be shaped by dry grinding with diamond wheels. Resharpening is easily done on same metal-bonded diamond wheel used for sharpening carbide tools. Test results on the tool being used on SAE 4140 steel are given in the table:

	Cutting Tool Materia							
н	igh-Density Aluminum	Carbide Grade	Carbide Grade					
Factor	Oxide	C-6	C-7					
Speed (sfpm)	1000	500	500					
Linear Feed (inch)	0.0075	0.0075	0.0075					
Depth of cut (inch)	0.125	0.125	0.125					
Tool Travel (inches)	82	80	90					
Chip Platform Cratering (inch)	None	3/32	Slight					
Edge (Land) Wear (inch)	1/64	3/64	2/64					

(Alundum Cutting Tools are developments of Norton Co., Dept. CP, 1 New Bond St., Worcester, Mass. . . . check CP 2722 on form opposite last page.)

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A 24-inch duplex-type strainer to be installed in a spray cooling unit at the Brookfield, Illinois plant of Reynolds Aluminum Co. receives final hydrostatic test before shipment from manufacturer's plant. Strainer is used on recirculated process water at the Reynolds plant. The two handles control disc-type gate valves which divert water flow from one side to other, make cleaning possible without interrupting operations.

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Explosion-proof housings have better drain off, more air circulation . . .

> larger air passages of breather and drain prevent clogging due to dust and small dirt particles

Uses: Venting explosion-proof combination starters and circuit breakers and other equipment housings in Class I, Groups C and D hazardous locations.

Features: Design of breathers and drains allows the passage of three to four times more volume of air than standard type. Better drain off of condensation is achieved.



Breather, top of detached cover at right, and drain, at pencil point, give more air circulation in safety

Larger air passages on units prevent Description: clogging due to dust and small dirt particles. Corrosion of explosion-proof housings is reduced. Connecting units by at least five threads, in hubs or holes tapped for conduit in housings, assures complete safety.

(Breathers and drains are products of Crouse-Hinds Co., Dept. CP, Wolf and Seventh North Streets, Syracuse, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 2727 on form opposite last page.)

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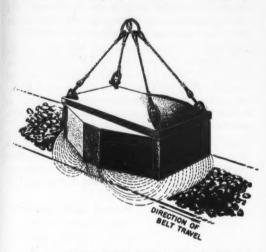
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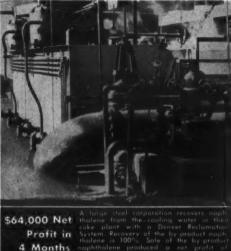
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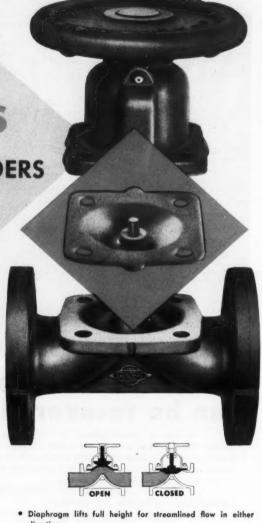
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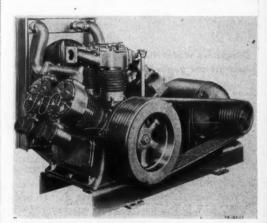
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Stationary compressors for applications where compactness, light weight, and minimum of operator attention are required.

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(S series compressors are products of Le Roi Div., Westinghouse Air Brake Co., Dept. CP, 1706 S. 68 St., Milwaukee 14, Wis. . . . or for more information check CP 2735 on form which is located opposite last page.)

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Fitting for installation of complete by-pass, blow-down, and branch connections to pipeline gate settings.

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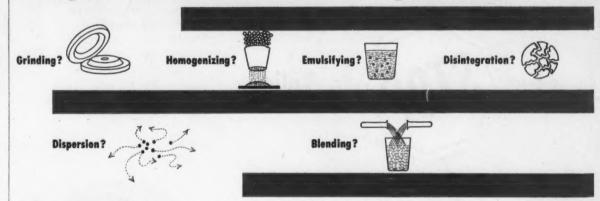


Typical header with 6, 8, and 12" outlets for con-necting 30" main line to 20" pipeline

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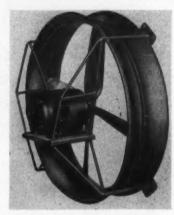
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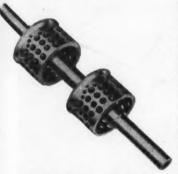
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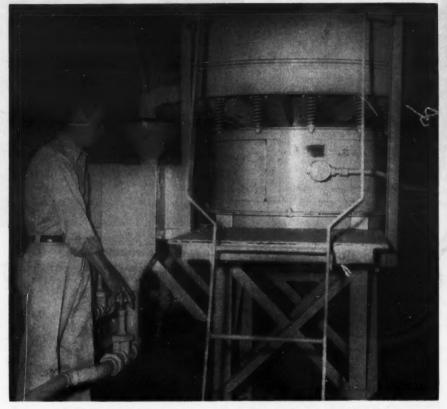
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Carbon slurry is discharged onto 100 mesh screen at top of unit from overhead lines

reduces maintenance of proportioning pumps

Corn Products uses vibrating
screen to remove abrasive ash
particles from revivified carbon
black slurry

By WILLIAM C. CLARKE, Assistant Editor Data verified by ALVOR HEDBERG Plant Manager Corn Products Refining Company, Pekin, Illinois Problem: Maintenance was excessive on proportioning pumps handling 4% (by weight) carbon-black slurry at Corn Products Refining Company, Pekin, Ill. Cylinder walls were being scored. Pumps didn't maintain calibration because of wear of moving parts.

Carbon black rather than time-honored bone char is used for bleaching syrup solutions. Slurry handled by proportioning pumps consists of carbon black from a revivification step, plus fresh make-up black. Close control of slurry feed is imperative for uniform product color. Flow rate from revivification is about 30 gpm.

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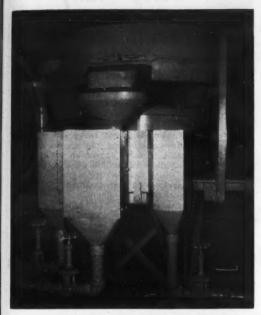
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Particles larger than 100 mesh are discarded through rectangular port at upper left. Separator unit vibrates on support springs

Solution: Trouble was found to be caused by ash particles, mostly silica, slipping through from revivification process.

This process consists of partially drying and then flash-heating the deactivated black to 1800°F in presence of oxygen and steam. Impurities are ashed and for the most part deposited on inside wall of an 18" ID gas-heated tube. However, some ash particle pass through the tube into the water-quench, along with the activated carbon, which is further treated with acid to pH 1.6, settled and decanted.

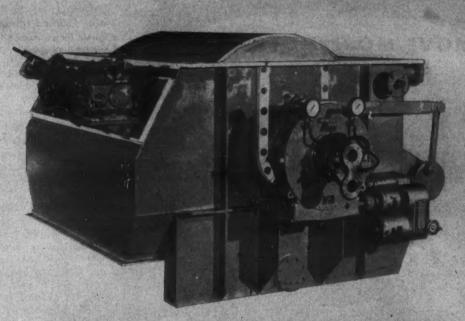
Since most of the offending ash particles were found to be larger than 0.6 mm — while the black is less than that — size separation looked to be the obvious solution to the problem.

Corn Products installed a vibratory Sweco Separator with a 100-mesh screen to remove all the troublesome particles. Unit was installed between water-quench and acid treatment steps.

Separator is 48" in diameter and has only stainless surfaces in contact with slurry. Vibratory motion of the screen sweeps particles to be discarded to one side and into a side port for collection. A small can serves as a collector. This is emptied every eight hours.

Unit is driven by 1 hp, three-phase, 1200 rpm, 440v AC motor. Vibratory frequency can be raised or lowered by changing metal weights attached to the screen. Separator handles 30 gpm without

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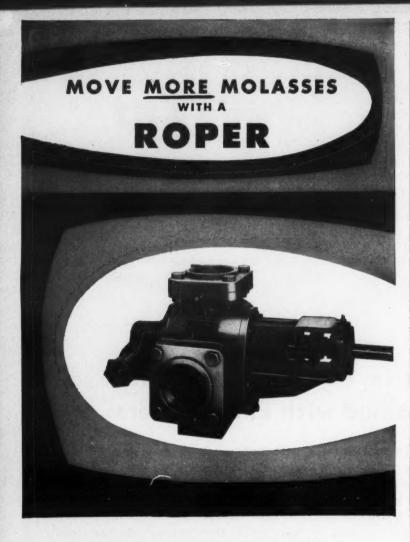
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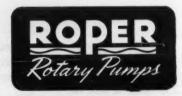


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Motor's ribbed frame affords large area to dissipate heat . . .

> sticky or oily dirt between ribs can be removed while unit runs

Uses: As explosion-proof electrical motor in chemical plants.

Features: Self-cleaning effect of air stream above motor reduces maintenance. There are no ducts to clog. Sticky or oily dirt between ribs can be removed with ease and safety without stopping motor. Ribbed frames have large area to effectively dissipate heat; coupled with axial ducts through cored ribs, maximum heat transfer is assured. Heavy cast iron construction provides rigidity and corrosion resistance to moisture and majority of chemicals. Heavy feet on casting prevent breakage.



Heavy cast iron construction provides rigidity, corrosion resistance

Description: Chemical motors have heat dissipating area of about 150% compared to standard frames. Heavy cast iron conduit box is used, all leads are sealed where they enter box. Box is diagonally split so all leads are easily accessible, and may be brought in from any 90° angle. Drain plugs are stainless.

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difficulty using a single screen. Capacity is increased by raising screen frequency.

Results: Maintenance on proportioning pumps has been slashed since installation of the separator in 1953. Carbon black specifications requiring 100% through 100 mesh have been maintained despite a 30 gpm flow rate of carbon black slurry. Quality standards on color of sugar and syrup solutions have been maintained with less difficulty.

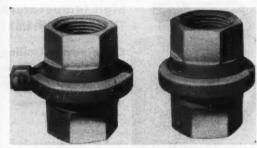
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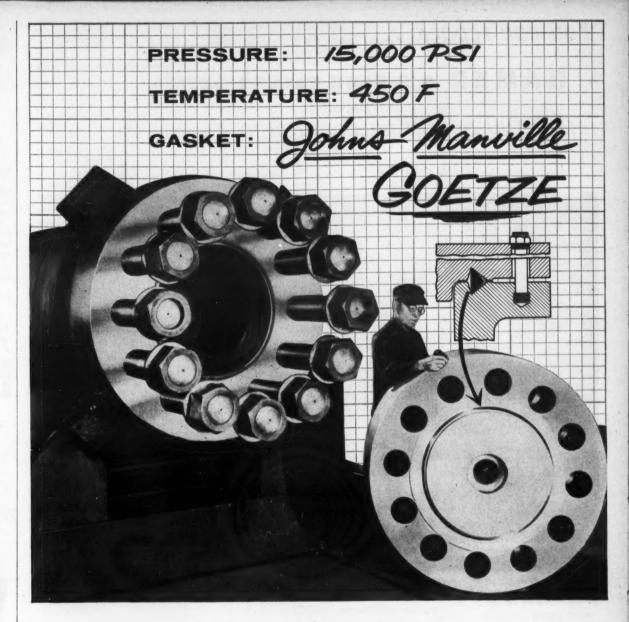
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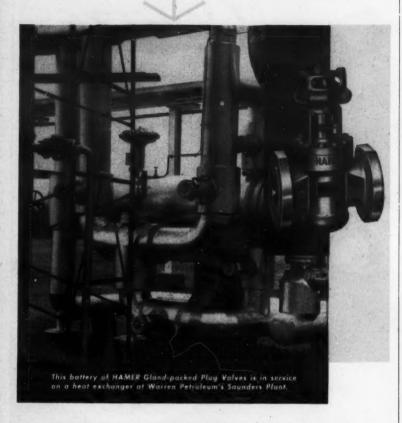
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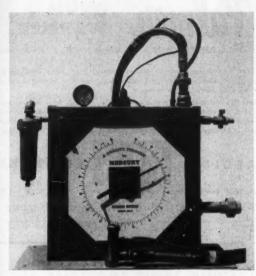
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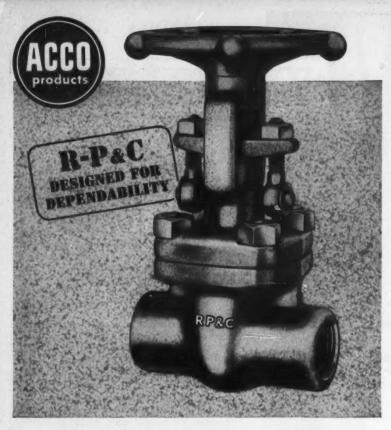
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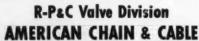
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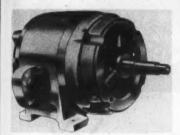
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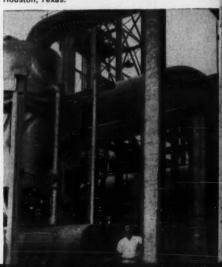
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Description: Model 105AK is 1500 w, 60 cy, AC electric plant. It's offered in two versions: Model 1P, weighing 125 pounds with carrying frame, and Model 1M, weighing 130 pounds with carrying frame optional. All-climate generator is direct-connected to a 4-cycle, air-cooled gasoline engine.

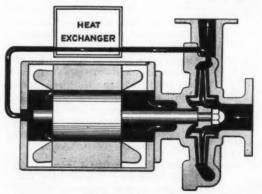
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Canned pump handles fluids at temp up to 1000°F with heat exchanger . . .

integrally-contained unit prevents hot fluid from damaging rotor chamber

Uses: For pumping Dowtherm, Arochlor, hot fats, hot oils, and similar fluids at temperatures as high as 1000°F.

Features: Unit contains an integral heat exchanger with a special high temp pump design. Hot fluid cannot damage rotor chamber. A "necked down" area



Canned pump has integral heat exchanger for hightemperature operation

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ber fluid through a water cooled heat exchanger mounted in circulation line. Intermixing of these fluids is very slight.

Description: Two Chempump model series with this design are available. Model CHS pumps come in 5 and 7½ hp sizes, Model CFT units in ¾ and 1½ hp. Max head developed is 195 ft and max capacity is 250 gpm.

(High-temp leak-proof pumps are products of Chempump Corp., Dept. CP, Station I, 1300 E. Mermaid Lane, Philadelphia 18, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 2770 on form opposite last page.)

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breather valve can be mounted externally without additional protection

Uses: For control of temperature-included pressure changes in oil-filled power transformers.

Features: Unit is rugged in both construction and design and can be mounted externally without additional protection.

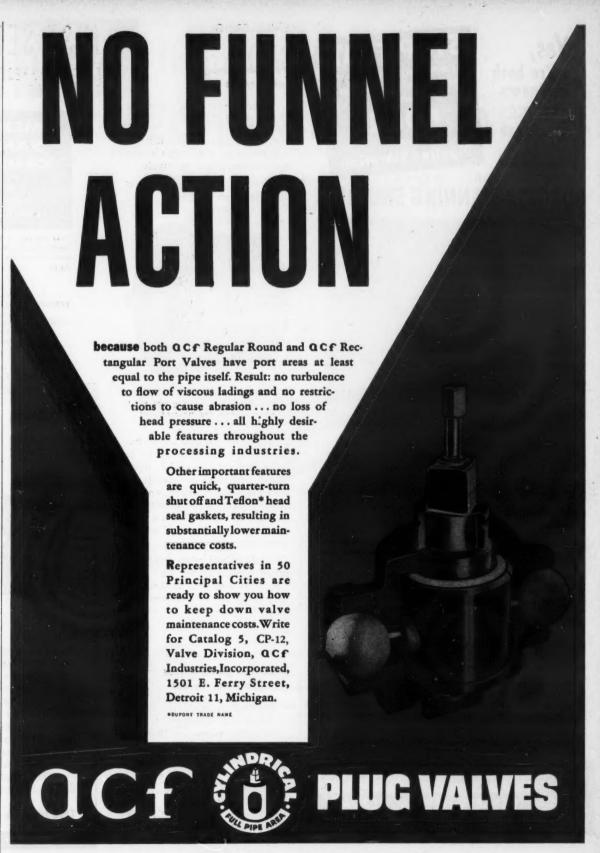
Description: Transformer breather valve meets ASA C57.12a requirements. A standard gage connection is used and no additional piping is required. Valve also incorporates a manually-operated sampling valve with hose barb connection. Screened inlet and outlet are provided.

(Circle Seal P-391 transformer breather valve is a product of James-Pond-Clark, Dept. CP, 2181 E. Foothill Blvd., Pasadena 8, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 2771 on form which is located opposite last page.)



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Uses: Flange-mounted motor is suitable for use where space is short and end mounting is impossible.

Features: Design of unit gives unusually short length.



Flange dimensions are suitable for interchangeable mounting with all other standard end mounted units

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Describes globe valves for throttling, closure

Detailed sectional view depicts design and construction features of globe valves for throttling and closure service in two-page, two-color bulletin. Nominal sizes available and complete parts list are included.

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Tube removal tool for large sizes of pipe Uses: and tube.

Features: Tool quickly and safely removes or installs pipe of small and large sizes. Internal design of tube is such that it cannot budge, split, or crack the tube no matter how light it may be. It will handle all types of tube and pipe; metal, fiber, glass, plastic, composition. It does not bite out any metal from the pipe and does not tear or shred inside.

Pipe and tube removal tools come in sizes for $\frac{1}{2}$ to $4\frac{1}{2}$ " ID. To use, insert proper size into pipe or tube. Expand the six movable knurledsurface segments on the inserted end by simply hand-turning knurled head on other end. Expandable segments move up the bevel until they make inside contact. To secure a non-slipping grip, tighten knurled segment with a wrench on hex nut of head. Pipe or tube can now be moved in or out by using a wrench on the hex body of the tool. When tool is on-center, even leverage is obtained.

(Tube Tule is a product of Double T Products Co., Dept. CP, 301 Acacia St., Hawthorne, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 2778 on form opposite last page.)

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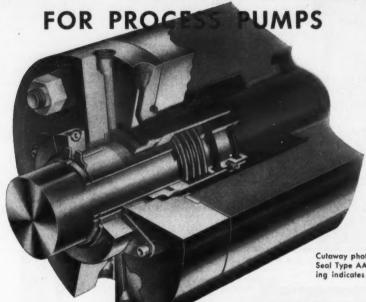
Liquid paint can be applied on either wet or dry surfaces. When used on damp masonry, it prevents further water penetration. It is so formulated, however, as to permit free and constant breathing through its plastic film, thus releasing all internal moisture. It resists mild industrial acids, alkalis, grease, oil, fats, and dirt, and does not bleed or discolor when applied over asphalt.

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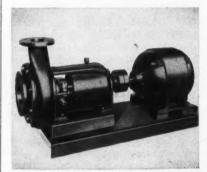
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Uses: Breather for storage tanks for oils, chemicals, air, gases, or other materials.

Features: Unit provides inexpensive method of reducing moisture content of atmospheric air entering tanks during transfer operations or due to temperature changes.

Description: Breather consists of permanent brass housing and

transparent drying chamber insert, filled with an indicating chemical drying agent. Chemical changes color as moisture is absorbed and can be reactivated by oven baking until original color returns. Drying chamber is inserted and removed without tools.

Device is available in three stock sizes with capacities ranging from 500 to 5000 gallon tank

size. Ratings are based on standard conditions of 80°F, 92% relative humidity entering air with a mass flow rate pressure drop not exceeding 1 psi.

(Indicating dry air breathers are a product of McIntire Co., Dept. CP, Okner Pkwy., Livingston 11, N.J. Check CP 2783 on form opposite last page.)

Technical information on pillow blocks

Engineering drawings, dimensions, shaft sizes, weights, and radial load ratings of ball bearing pillow blocks are shown in 52-page bulletin. Complete technical information and cutaway views of each unit are shown.

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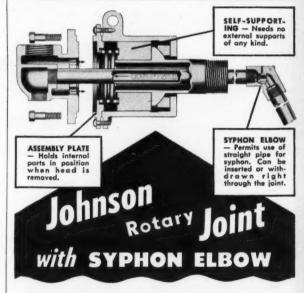
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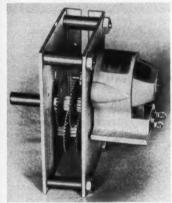
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delivers high power at low speeds with 662 to 1 gear ratio

Uses: Provide high power low speed drive where outside power source is not available. Suitable for metering devices, recording meters, or remote control handling mechanisms.

Features: Motor and gear train unit is powered by dry cells or other batteries in 1½ to 3 or 3 to 6v range.

Description: Motor speeds at no load vary from 2000 to 10,000 rpm depending on type of brushes and applied voltage. Gear ratio of 662 to 1 reduces speed to from 3 to 15 rpm. Motor is reversible and entire unit is 3½ x 3 x 2½". Drive shaft is ½" in diameter and ex-



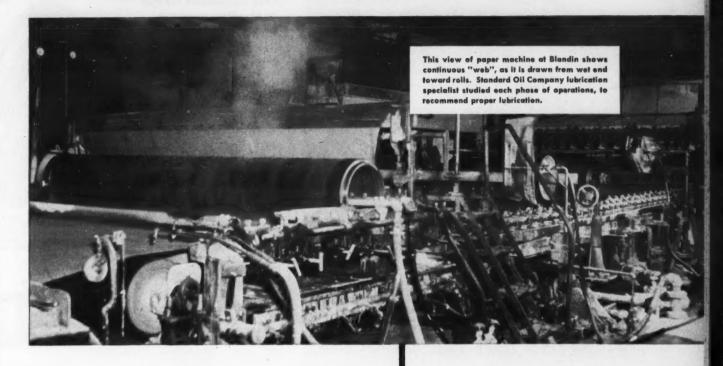
Motor speeds at no load vary from 2000 to 10,000 rpm

tends 11/16" beyond main bearing of gear unit. Reduction is through stamped or powdered metal gears on shafts running in Oilite bearings.

(Hi-drive motor and gear train unit is a product of Wilson's of Cleveland, Dept. CP, 425 Lakeside Ave., N. W., Cleveland 13, Ohio. . . . check CP 2787 opp. last page.)

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STANOLITH GREASE overcomes trouble spot, keeps paper rolling at BLANDIN



STANOLITH Grease aided the solving of a rough lubrication problem at Blandin Paper Company in Grand Rapids, Minnesota.

A bottleneck on the paper making machines threatened production at this hustling paper plant four years ago. The trouble occurred near the beginning of the process, where the pulp contains up to 99% water. At this point, bearings are greeted by a shower of water and stock.

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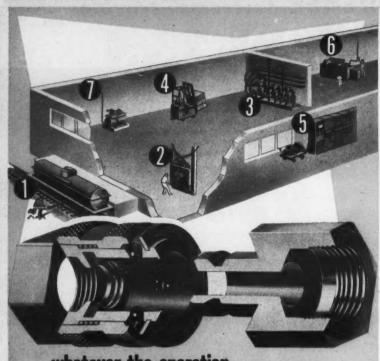


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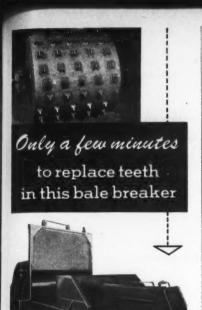
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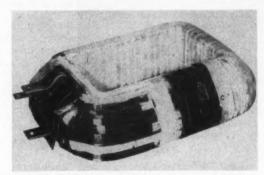
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Studies physical-chemical properties of ethane-nitrogen mixtures

Data on liquid-vapor phase equilibria, gas phase pressure-volume-temperature relationships, and saturated liquid and vapor densities of the ethanenitrogen system are presented in 44-page study. Tabular and graphical data are given, along with experimental procedures. There are 25 references.

Research Bulletin 26 may be obtained by remitting \$5.00 direct to Institute of Gas Technology, Dept. CP, 17 W. 34th St., Technology Center, Chicago 16, Ill.

Explains reactions, characteristics of molybdenum catalysts

Reactions which may be advantageously catalyzed by molybdenum compounds, as well as commercial processes now being used, are reviewed in 24-page booklet. Commercial reactions include oxidation, hydrogenation, dehydrogenation, isomerization, cyclization, chlorination, and condensation. Research reactions considered are dehydration, polymerization, and alkylation. A tabulation of typical reactions and conditions including starting material, catalyst, temperature, and conditions particular to a process, is included.

A special section is devoted to factors to be considered in choosing a specific catalyst. Factors include: oxidation state; supports for the catalyst; promoters; and methods of manufacture. A list of 25 references is given.

"Molybdenum Catalyst for Industrial Processes" is available from Dept. L., Climax Molybdenum Company, Dept. CP, 500 Fifth Ave., New York 36, N.Y. Specify CP 2798 opposite last page.

Chemical resistance chart for plastic linings

Two-page chart shows the resistance of three different types of plastic linings to a wide variety of chemicals. Recommended maximum temperatures for each are given.

Data Sheet #82 is issued by Quelcor, Inc., Dept. CP, Front & Broomall Sts., Chester, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2799 opposite last page.



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Consistent volumetric accuracy of pump detailed

Two-page, two-color pamphlet lists typical applications, advantages, and presents a capacity table for proportioning pump. Consistent volumetric accuracy of unit is explained in design detail.

Bul 1105-2 is issued by Proportioneers, Inc., a div. of B-I-F Industries, Inc., Dept. CP, 345 Harris Ave., Providence, R. I. When inquiring specify CP 2800 on form opposite last page.

Shows operational principle for mass spectrometer

Twelve-page catalog in two colors describes laboratory and process instrument based on mass spectrometer principle. Simplified explanation of principle is outlined with a diagram. Instruments described include analytical mass spectrometer, leak detector, isotope-ratio mass spectrometer, dual-purpose mass spectrometer, micro-manometer, process-monitor mass spectrometer. Suggested installations include petroleum, petro-chemical, processing applications.

Bul CEC 1302B is issued by Consolidated Engineering Corp., Dept. CP, 300 N. Sierra Madre Villa, Pasadena 15, Calif. When inquiring specify CP 2801 on form opposite last page.

Depicts valve characteristics by service

Three bulletins cover manual and foot operated air valves for water, oil, and air service. Flow patterns, overall dimensions, and valve characteristics are included. Air valves are rated from 0 to 4000 psi, water valves from 0 to 6000 psi, and oil valves from 0 to 6000 psi.

Bul A-5, W-5, and O-5 are issued by Barksdale Valves, Dept. CP, 5125 Alcoa Ave., Los Angeles 58, Calif. When inquiring specify CP 2802 on form opposite last page.

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Detailed technical description of activated alumina

Detailed technical description, advantages, and an examination of typical applications of activated alumina are presented in two-page, two-color data sheet. Complete chemical specifications and government specifications are also included. Among applications suggested are drying of gases, liquids, and removal of fluorine from liquid systems.

Form C4-5-755 is issued by Reynolds Metals Co., Dept. CP, 2500 S. Third St., Louisville 1, Ky. Specify CP 2803 opposite last page.

Molybdenum disulfide lubricants

Seventeen types of Molykote MoS₂ lubricants are described in four-page technical bulletin. Performance under extreme bearing pressure, and high, low, and normal temperature lubrication applications are covered. A chart describes the types and gives the kind of carrier used in it, temperature range for best operating, and proper method of application.

Bul 103A is issued by The Alpha Molykote Corp., Dept. CP, 65 Harvard Ave., Stamford, Conn. Specify CP 2804 opposite last page.

Economies of pelletized blacks in paint making are given

Economies of pelletized carbon blacks for pigmentation of quality paints, lacquers, and enamels are given in four-page folder. The blacks are freeflowing, easy to handle, and clean to work. A lampblack substitute for tinting, called Sterling, is also described.

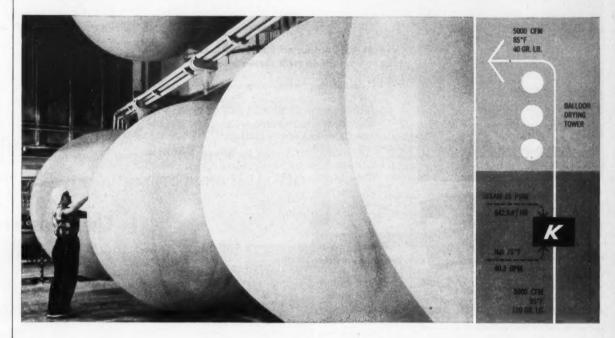
"Black Pearls and Sterling" is issued by Special Blacks Div., Godfrey L. Cabot, Inc., Dept. CP, 77 Franklin St., Boston 10, Mass. When inquiring specify CP 2805 on form opposite last page.

Air-operated machine tools illustrated in color

Illustrations and descriptions of drill press feeds, vises, hydro-checks, rotary feeds, and other air-operated devices are given in eight-page booklet. Many installations are shown in full color. Air motor drive for units is detailed.

Bul ML-3 is available from Bellows Company, Dept. CP, 222 W. Market St., Akron, Ohio. Specify CP 2806 opposite last page.

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NEW LITERATURE

Details on vertical pumps

Construction details of vertical turbine pumps are presented in large cut-away views included in eight-page bulletin. Features of the units are clearly explained in this way. Pumps described are suitable for a variety of industrial applications: for supplying water from wells, lakes, and rivers; for sump, condenser, line and booster pumping; and for circulating and dewatering.

Bul 1015 is issued by Johnston Pump Co., Div. of Emsco Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 3272 E. Foothill Blvd., Pasadena 8, Calif. When inquiring specify CP 2809 on form opposite last page.

Technical data on alkyds, varnishes are given along with formulations

Technical descriptions of manufacturer's line of alkyds and varnishes are detailed in 74-page spiral-bound technical data book. Following the description of each product are suggested formulations for various surface coatings.

"Technical Data" is issued by Farnow, Inc., Dept. CP, 4-80 47th Rd., Long Island City 1, N. Y. When inquiring specify CP 2810 on form opposite last page.

Shows how supplementary control holds variable in line

Supplementary control device which anticipates fuel needs of controlled heating equipment is described in two-color bulletin. Schematic drawing in bulletin shows how this device is wired in between heat load and off-on controller to achieve straight line temperature control.

Bul F-5795-2 is issued by Wheelco Instruments Div., Barber-Colman Co., Dept. CP, 1300 Rock St., Rockford, Ill. When inquiring specify CP 2811 on form opposite last page.

Dispersers are adaptable to many materials

Disperser designed for rapid, efficient dispersion of solids in liquids; liquids in liquids; and gases in liquids; is described in four-page folder. Unit makes use of severe hydraulic shear to obtain dispersion. Folder includes photographs and drawing of unit.

Bul "The Lancaster Disperser" is issued by Lancaster Chemical Corporation, Dept. CP, Broad & 13th Street, Carlstadt, N. J. When inquiring specify CP 2812 on form opposite last page.



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All about tanks & drums made of polyethylene

Collection of data sheets provides complete information about polyethylene tanks and drums with capacities of 55, 30, 15, and 5 gallons. Collection contains general information on properties and comparative performance of polyethylene and conventional containers. Specific mechanical properties of polyethylene are reviewed and special features of each size of container are described. Several large tanks and custom fabricated containers are pictured. Their specifications are also given.

"Molded Polyethylene Containers" is issued by Delaware Barrel & Drum Co., Inc., Dept. CP, P. O. Box 1648, Wilmington, Del. When inquiring specify CP 2815 on form which is located opposite last page.

Folder cites features, advantages of diammonium phosphate process

Continuous process for making diammonium phosphate is described in four-page folder. Product obtained is crystalline, free flowing, having a nominal analysis of 18-46-0. Advantages of process over conventional processes are cited. Provision can be made for drying impurities separately, permitting nominal analysis to be increased to 20-47-0. Complete flow diagram is included.

Folder "Diammonium Phosphate" is issued by John J. Harte Company, Dept. CP, 284 Techwood Drive, N. W., Atlanta, Georgia. When inquiring specify CP 2816 on form which is located opposite last page.

Properties of four acrylic esters discussed in bulletin

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Methods of polymerization, applications of polymers and copolymers, physical and chemical properties, shipping data, and reactions of, ethyl acrylate, n-butyl acrylate, 2-ethylbutyl acrylate, and 2-ethylhexyl acrylate, are described in eight-page technical bulletin. Polymerization procedures and useful chemical synthesis reactions are included. Precautions and safe handling, and twenty-two selected references to acrylic esters in technical literature are also given.

Bul F-7434 is issued by Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Co., Div. of Union Carbide & Carbon Corp., Dept. CP, 30 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N.Y. When inquiring specify CP 2817 on form opposite last page.

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Added to water-based latex paints,
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prevent bacteria breakdown of
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NEW LITERATURE

Describes instruments for lab standards

Instruments for laboratory standdards and standard cells are illustrated in eight-page bulletin. Descriptions include AC and DC voltmeters, AC and DC ammeters, wattmeters, portable precision shunts, standard cells. Booklet also includes information on frequency coverage, frequency compensation, and wave form effect of manufacturer's Model 326 voltmeters, ammeters, and wattmeters.

Cat A-46-A is issued by Weston Electrical Instrument Corp., Dept. CP, 614 Frelinghuysen Ave., Newark 5, N. J. Specify CP 2821 opposite last page.

Data sheet released on infrared film

Six-page data sheet on manufacturer's infrared film includes information on processing and exposure indices. Film is described as being sensitive through the visible spectrum and into the infrared to approximately 9000 A with maximum sensitivity in region from 7700 A to 8400 A. Sensitometric data are also included.

Pamphlet No. M-9 is issued by Sales Service Div., Eastman Kodak Co., Dept. CP, 343 State St., Rochester 4, N. Y. When inquiring specify CP 2822 opposite last page.

How zinc paint protects steel

Metal protective paint containing 100% zinc dust and possessing rust inhibitive properties is covered in 12-page pocket-size publication.

Publication "Horse Head Bulletin," Sept. 1955, is issued by The New Jersey Zinc Co., Dept. CP, 160 Front St., New York 7, N.Y. When inquiring specify CP 2823 opposite last page.

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Self-draining sampling valve illustrated in bulletin

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Bul 270 is issued by Jerguson Gage & Valve Co., Dept. CP, 87 Fellsway, Somerville 45. Mass. When inquiring specify CP 2826 on form opposite last page.

Two-stage pumps handle 300 gpm at 300-550 ft heads

Six-page bulletin describes two-stage pumps in capacities to 300 gpm at heads from 300 to 550 ft at temperatures up to 250°F. Units described are suitable for boiler feed, humidifier, air conditioning, high head building, and other applications.

Bul 52B6105C is issued by Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co., Dept. CP, 1151 S. 70th St., Milwaukee, Wis. When inquiring specify CP 2827 on form opposite last page.

Information on installations of worm gear drives

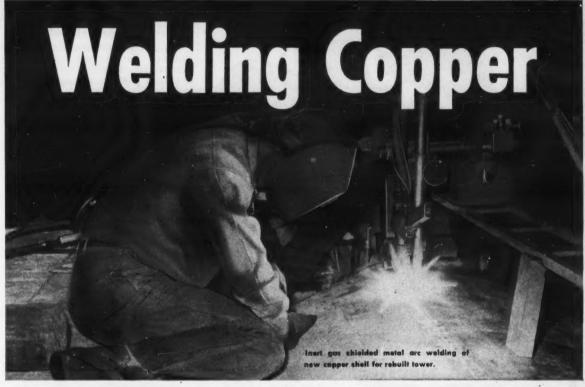
Illustrations and information on typical installations of worm gear speed reducers are presented in eight-page publication. Ten specific benefits that can be obtained with these units are also covered.

Publication on worm gear installations is issued by The Cleveland Worm & Gear Company, Dept. CP, 3249-59 East Eightieth St., Cleveland 4, Ohio. When inquiring specify CP 2828 on form opposite last page.

Explains safety feature of low-temp cabinet

Low-temperature cabinet described in this twocolor bulletin is equipped with ceramic-covered heaters, non-arcing, brushless blower motor, and has switches and relays mounted outside the cabinet for safety protection. Construction is explained. Size and specifications are also given together with pictures of the unit.

Bul 339 is issued by Precision Scientific Co., Dept. CP, 3737 W. Cortland St., Chicago 47, Ill. When inquiring specify CP 2829 on form opposite last page.



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Some time ago, the Tennessee Eastman Company, Kingsport, Tennessee, a Revere customer, began to rebuild some of its copper stills or fractioning towers, which previously would have been silver-brazed. Revere's welding specialists were called in to see whether or not welding would be superior. Demonstrations were made to Tennessee Eastman engineers and shop personnel, with the result that welding was adopted. Actual experience in the shop shows a saving of 38% in materials and labor for joining, and a better job in every way. The welding method used is the inert gas shielded metal arc process.

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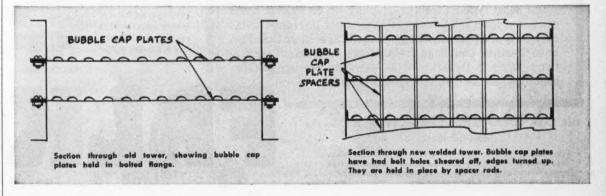
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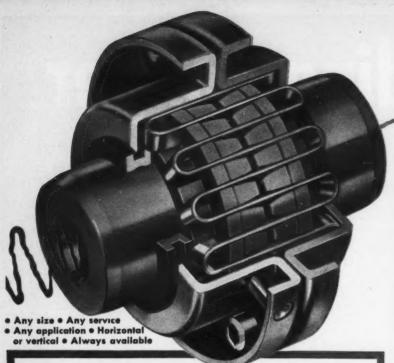
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Why FALK Steelflex Couplings give the finest protection for connected machinery

Maximum protection of connected machinery is best provided by Falk Steelflex Couplings because, thanks to their exclusive design, they overcome the damaging conditions of shock loads, shaft misalignment and vibration. How this unique multiple protection is made possible is shown at the right.

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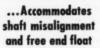
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NEW LITERATURE

Valve for bulk material handling described

Bulk material valves designed for bins, hoppers, conveyors, and downspout applications are subject of four-page bulletin. Details of the valves are given in pictures, specifications. Details of applications handling fine and dusty materials are explained.

Bul 105 is issued by Stock Equipment Co., Dept. CP, Hanna Bldg., Cleveland 15, Ohio. Check CP 2832 on form opposite last page.

Gives features of vertical turbine pumps

Condensed selection table — a valuable guide to horsepower, head, and capacity - is presented in eight-page folder on vertical turbine pumps. Sectional illustrations with enlarged views of special features clearly describe the units. Detailed drawings of pumping and distribution systems are also included.

Bul 100 is issued by Layne & Bowler Pump Co., Dept. CP, 2943 Vail Ave., Los Angeles 22, Calif. Specify CP 2833 on form opposite last page.

Catalogs physical characteristics of high-alloy castings

Physical characteristics and uses of wear-resistant, high-alloy castings are detailed in four-page, twocolor bulletin. A listing is given of production facilities available for castings made of these metals and commercial grades of stainless and high-temperature alloys.

"High Alloy Castings" is issued by Coast Metals, Inc., Dept. CP, Little Ferry, N.J. When inquiring specify CP 2834 on form opposite last page.

KOH - its manufacture, handling and use

Manufacture and use of caustic potash are given in 18-page, two-color brochure. Complete technical data including specific gravity and density tables of solutions as well as temperature and alkali conversion tables are included. Also given are detailed procedures for unloading and precautions for handling.

"KOH" is issued by Columbia-Southern Chemical Corporation, Sub. of Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co., Dept. CP, 632 Fort Duquesne Blvd., Pittsburgh, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2835 on form opposite last page.

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Drying in general, with emphasis on design, operation, and uses of vertical Turbo-Dryers is explained in 12-minute, 16 mm sound color movie. Particular emphasis is placed on method of drying heat- or oxygen-sensitive materials. Film is available to engineering groups, societies, private companies, and universities.

Film "The Operation and Application of Turbo-Dryers" is available from Wyssmont Company, Inc., Dept. CP, 42-05 27th St., Long Island City, New York.

Catalog covers full line of mixers

Full line of mixers is pictured and described in eight-page, two-color catalog. Included are spiral ribbon, double-arm, planetary-action vertical, and overlapping-arm mixers. Photographs, charts, and drawings are included.

Bul 55782 is issued by Read Standard Corp., Dept. CP, Bakery-Chemical Division, York, Pa. When inquiring reader may simply specify CP 2836 on Reader Service slip which is located opposite last page.

Bulletin depicts design, operation of wire-mesh demisters

Four-page illustrated bulletin describes construction of wire-mesh demisters and tells why their efficiency is usually in excess of 99.9%. Two-color line drawing shows how entrained liquids are removed.

Bul 17 is issued by Otto H. York Company, Inc., Dept. CP, 6 Central Avenue, West Orange, N.J. When inquiring specify CP 2837 on form opposite last page.

Blue color for vinyls

Single-page bulletin describes heat-stable phthalocyanine blue which combines those properties of the red and green shade variations of phthalocyanine blue which are advantageous in vinyl compounding. Properties and compounding data are briefly covered.

Bul No. 150 is issued by Claremont Pigment Dispersion Corp., Dept. CP, 110 Wallabout St., Brooklyn 11, N.Y. When inquiring reader may check CP 2838 on form which is located opposite last page.

THE UNIQUENESS OF DIATOMITE FILTERAIDS

Paul W. Leppla, Technical Director

The purpose of a filteraid is to sieve out suspended solids without plugging. Therefore, it follows that the porosity of the filter cake is an important characteristic. This is one of the several properties possessed by filteraids produced from diatomite (diatomaceous earth or DE) to a remarkable degree. Actually, diatomite filteraids form filter cakes consisting largely of space, since 85-90% of the volume of the cake is void space and unlike filteraids produced from cellular materials, almost all of the void space is available or useful.

Fine powders of siliceous materials often pack into a bed in such a fashion that the percentage of voids is close to 25%. Thus, 100 pounds of silica in the form of sand occupies about one cubic foot and provides 0.25 cubic foot void space.

In contrast, 100 pounds of processed diatomite filteraid develops over five cubic feet of filter cake, and provides about 4.5 cubic feet of void space for filterable solids. Diatomite filteraids thus offer 18 times the solids retention capacity of an equal weight of sand.

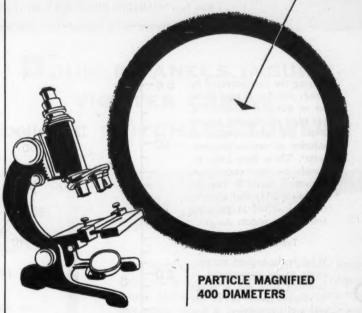
Let's calculate the theoretical filtration capacity of the two materials, using the assumption that filtration will proceed until the voids are completely plugged. Actually, this ideal case is never achieved, but the comparison between the two materials will still be valid.

If the liquid to be filtered contains 1% suspended solids by volume, the sand bed will filter 188 gallons before the void space is completely filled. The same weight of diatomite filteraid will filter 3,400 gallons on the same basis.

As a first approximation, or filteraid rule-of-thumb, the filtration engineer, lacking actual test data, will recommend the addition of diatomite filteraid at the same percentage as that of the suspended matter to be removed. On this basis, it is seen that the hypothetical liquor containing 1% matter as described above should require 1% filteraid. Our calculation shows 100 lbs. diatomite to 3,400 gallons of filtrate, or 0.37%. In plant practice, filteraid dosage often is well below the rule-of-thumb recommendation. This provides convincing evidence for the statement that nearly all the void volume in diatomite filter cakes is available or useful.

From time to time in the past, materials other than diatomite have been introduced as filteraids, often on the mistaken basis that low bulk density is the principal property required for success. The list of materials upon which ambitious plans have been made and have failed is long. A few filteraid adjuncts having special properties find limited utility in the process industries, but diatomite continues to be the outstanding raw material for filteraid manufacture.

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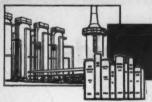
That's right—you can't see it, even when magnified 400 times. The eye can detect, at 10" distance, a particle 80 microns in size; hence, we're talking about particles smaller than .2 micron, down below the wave-length of visible light.

And Dicalite Filteraids are trapping and filtering out smaller particles than that, particles as small as .137 micron, particles visible only with the ultramicroscope or the electron microscope. Which explains why Dicalite Filteraids are so widely used in so many processes where thorough separation is imperative for purity and clarity. Write for further information.



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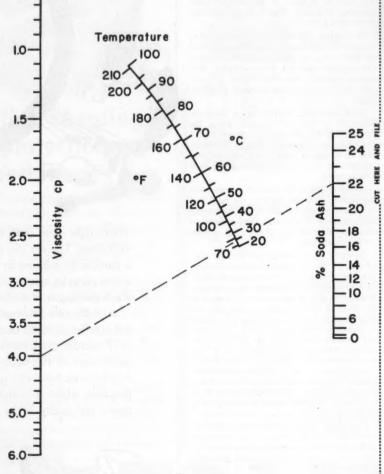
Among the data purveyed by "Soda Ash," a 95-page booklet of technical information, are plots of viscosity against soda ash concentration in solution at various temperatures¹. These have been reduced to the nomograph presented here. It can be used to quickly find viscosity ranges involved in pumping and piping system designs.

Typical Example

What is the highest viscosity likely to be encountered in handling soda ash solutions at concentrations to 22 per cent and temperatures as low as 76°F?

Connect 22 per cent on % Soda Ash scale with temperature of 76°F — note that straightedge intersects viscosity scale at 4 centipoise.

In addition to viscosity, heat of solution, solubility, and similar data, this illustrated, hard-bound book covers analytical methods, chemical reactions, handling and storage, and gives a compact rundown of the manufacturing and marketing picture of soda ash and other alkalis. "Soda Ash" is issued by Wyandotte Chemicals Corp., Dept. CP, Wyandotte, Mich. . . . or for more information check CP 2840 on form opposite last page.



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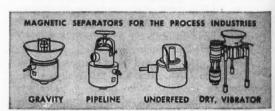
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Helps choose epoxy resins

Epoxy resin selection chart enables manufacturers to choose a resin for their impregnating, insulating, or potting requirements. Chart is divided into three sections covering roomtemperature, moderate-temperature, and moderate-high-temperature curing systems. A page of text accompanies the chart, describes the manufacturer's Epocast systems.

"Epoxy Resin Selection List" is issued by Furane Plastics Inc., Dept. CP, 4516 Brazil St., Los Angeles 39, Calif. When inquiring check CP 2842 opposite last page.

Shows sink trap of plastic

Revised design of polyethylene sink trap is shown in illustrated data sheet. Construction, dimensions, and applications are given.

Sink Trap Data Sheet is issued by Arthur S. La Pine & Co., Dept. CP, 6001 S. Knox Ave., Chicago 29, Ill. When inquiring specify CP 2843 on form opposite last page.

Explains stainless pump for corrosives

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Bul on Centri-Chem pump is available from Eco Engineering Co., Dept. CP, 12 New York Ave., Newark, N.J. Specify CP 2844 on form opposite last page.

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Estimating Filling and Breathing Losses for Standard Cone Roof Tanks

Courtesy of GENERAL AMERICAN TRANSPORTATION CORP.

As standard cone roof tanks heat and cool with daily temperature cycles, vapor is expelled and air is drawn in. One nomograph given here permits rapid estimation of material lost as vapor in the "breathing" process.

While breathing loss chart is empirical, it is based on a \(^3\)4-inch per foot roof pitch and one ounce per square inch difference in pressure between pressure vent opening and vacuum vent opening. For roof pitches other than this, make outage adjustments for cone roof volume. For deviations of pressure-vacuum differences from one ounce, reduce breathing loss 7.7 per cent for each additional ounce. Color (radiation absorption) of tank is important, too. Nomograph is based on weathered aluminum tanks. For chalk white

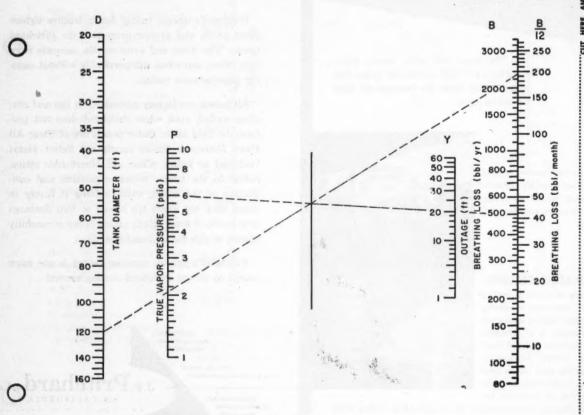
tanks multiply resultant loss by 0.75, for light gray — 1.10, for black or no paint — 1.25.

Typical Breathing Loss Example

True vapor pressure of stored liquid is 6.1 psia. If an aluminum 120-ft diam tank has 20 feet of outage, what is annual breathing loss? Monthly breathing loss?

Connect 6.1 on vapor pressure scale with 20 on outage scale. Note intersection with reference line. Pivot on this reference to intersect 120 on diameter scale and read breathing loss as 195 barrels per month or 2340 barrels per year. Note that if tank had been unpainted, losses would have been 1.25 times as great — 244 bbl/month or 2920 bbl/yr.

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Data on granular, glass-reinforced, putty alkyd molding compounds

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Plaskon alkyd molding compounds, low-pressure high-speed thermoplastic materials, are treated in four-page data bulletin. The granular, putty, and reinforced materials are covered. One graph and table accompany the text. "Plaskon" is issued by Barrett Div., Allied Chemical & Dye Corp., Dept. CP, 40 Rector St., New York 6, N.Y. When inquiring specify CP 2847 on form opposite last page.

Forged steel stop-check and needle valves

Forged steel stop, stop-check, and needle valves are subject of six-page folder. Full description and specs are included on the valves which range up to 2" size. A number of photographs are included.

Bul 551 is issued by Edward Valves, Inc., subsidiary of Rockwell Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 1201 W. 145th St., East Chicago, Ind. When inquiring check CP 2848 on form opposite last page.

Complete line of paper machines pictured, described in detail

Manufacturer's complete line of paper bag machines is given comprehensive treatment in illustrated brochure. Included are specialty, grocery, multiwall, and carrier bag machines. Paper strap, slicers, and other specialty machines are also described. Full specifications are given for each unit.

Brochure "Weber Paper Bag Machines" is issued on letterhead request by H. G. Weber & Company, Inc., Dept. CP, Kiel, Wisconsin.

Lists chromatographic aluminas and indicating anion resins

Price list shows availability of analytical grade chromatographic alumina and anion exchange resins which have been treated with an indicating dye to change color reversibly in going from hydroxide to other ionic forms. The four-page list describes neutral, acid, and basic type aluminas; two strongly basic resins containing quaternary ammonium groups; and current information on analytical grade anion and cation exchange resins.

Price List "L" is issued by Bio-Rad Laboratories, Dept. CP, 800 Delaware St., Berkeley, Calif. Check CP 2849 on form opposite last page.



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Filling Losses From Cone Roof Tanks

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When tanks are filled and vapor space is taken up by new liquid, expelled vapors cause losses. This empirical nomograph has two scales for tank turnover (K_t-scale). One of these represents the situation in general refinery service — rapid filling and emptying of tanks. The other scale, Marketing Plants & Terminals, prevails where rapid tank filling is followed by slow discharge or repeated discharge of small lots. Both scales read directly in number of turnovers per year.

This nomograph is also designed so that if throughput data falls outside scale range, it may be divided by a multiple of ten. Filling loss is then adjusted by multiplying by same multiple.

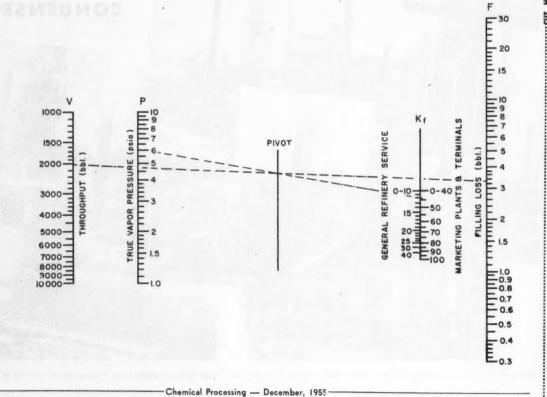
Typical Filling Loss Example

A refinery is storing a hydrocarbon with a true vapor pressure of 6.1 psia. Each year about 1,000,000 barrels are put through an 80,000-bbl cone roof tank—for a turnover of about 12 per year. What annual

filling loss can be expected?

Align true vapor pressure with number of turnovers. Use 12 on *General Refinery Scale* for turnovers. Note intesection on reference line. Pivoting about this reference point, find proper throughput on throughput scale. Since 1,000,000 barrels is off scale, divide by any multiple of ten — say 500. 1,000,000 bbl/500 = 2000 bbl. Align 2000 bbl throughput with reference point found earlier and read filling loss of 3.3 bbl. Multiply filling loss by 500 to compensate for earlier division and obtain annual loss as 1650 barrels.

These nomographs are taken from "How to Reduce Evaporation Losses," a data book on storage tanks. Other nomographs contained in it include conversion from Reid to true vapor pressure, standing storage losses, and expansions for air-vapor mixtures. This book is issued by General American Transportation Corp., Dept. CP, 135 S. LaSalle St., Chicago 90, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 2851 on handy form opposite last page.



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Single-page data sheet is of interest to those concerned with degradation of vanadium catalyst in H₂SO₄ production. Corrosion products flaking off unprotected steel dome of H₂SO₄ converters, or fouling and subsequent loss of heat-transfer efficiency of uncoated exchangers are responsible for this. Advantages of aluminizing H₂SO₄ converters and heat exchangers to reduce this source of contamination are enumerated, and technique for obtaining superior protective resurfacing is given.

Bul 125 is issued by Emjay Maintenance Engineers, Dept. CP, 327 Union Ave., Rutherford, N. J. Check CP 2853 on form opposite last page.

Handbook on stainless steel wire, rod, and strip

Properties, specifications, applications, and design information on stainless steel wire, rod, and strip are given in 38-page handbook. Handbook was planned to help in the proper selection of the right grade of stainless steel for a particular application.

Design handbook on stainless steel wire, rod, and strip is issued by Alloy Metal Wire Div., H. K. Porter Co., Inc., Prospect Park, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2854 on form opposite last page.

Lubrication and construction of plug valves

Best methods for lubricating plug valves is one topic covered in 18-page illustrated booklet. Booklet also gives cross sectional views of a variety of plug valves and goes into considerable detail regarding their construction.

Manual No. 3 is issued by ACF Industries, Inc., Valve Div., Dept. CP, 1501 E. Ferry Ave., Detroit 11, Mich. When inquiring specify CP 2855 on form opposite last page.

Booster and diffusion applications of vacuum pumps

Use of vacuum pumps in diffusion and booster service is outlined in an eight-page, pocket-size booklet. Designed features and capacities are given.

Bul 756 is available from F. J. Stokes Machine Company, Dept. CP, 5500 Tabor Road, Philadelphia 20, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2856 on form opposite last page.



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Estimating Rates For Roof Ventilators

By D. S. DAVIS
Professor of Chemical Engineering
Virginia Polytechnic Institute

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For chemical and other plants, maximum rate of flow of air through a natural roof ventilator can be calculated by the equation

where _ Q = 0.200 L H A

Q = maximum ventilation rate
L = effective height of warm
air inside building
H = rate of heat release to thousands of Effu

interior air

A = area of roof ventilator
assuming no restriction
to supply of air to lower

part of building
This equation, adapted from information given by
Hemeon³, can be solved quickly by nomograph given
here. Nomograph was constructed by methods described previously¹. ².

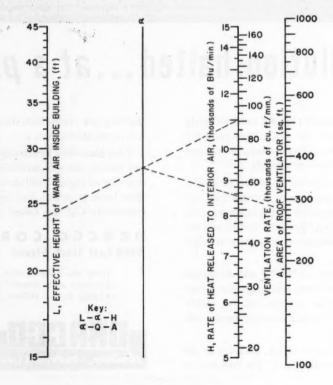
Typical Example

What is the maximum ventilation rate for a building 27 feet high capped by a 280 square foot roof ventilator if 11,000 Btu/min are released to interior air? Assume effective height of warm air inside building to be 24 feet — a little less than height of building. Following key, connect 24 on L-scale with 11 on H-scale. Then connect α -scale intersection with 280 on A-scale. Read ventilation rate as 55 thousands of cfm (55,000 cfm).

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"Kel-Ray Projectors" may be obtained from Metal & Thermit Corporation, Dept. CP, 100 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N. Y. When inquiring specify CP 2859 on form opposite last page.

DC tubeless power supply—germanium rectifiers

Specifications and applications of germanium rectifier, DC tubeless power supply, are discussed in two-page bulletin. Model illustrated has voltage range of 115 to 125 volts at 25 amp with an efficiency of 94%.

Bul G125-25A is issued by Perkin Engineering Corp., Dept. CP, 345 Kansas St., El Segundo, Calif. Specify CP 2860 opposite last page.

Engineering facts about Hypalon, general purpose elastomer

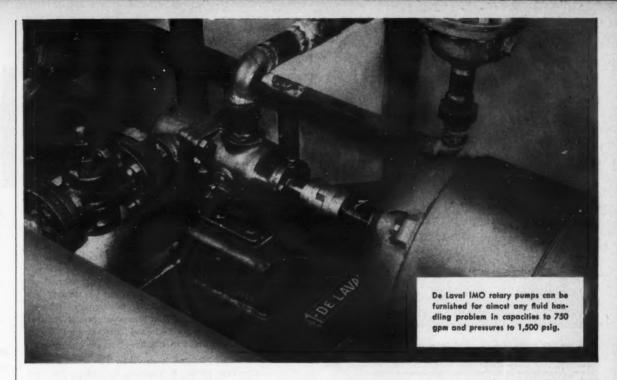
Graph depicting heat aging characteristics, conditions of use, and application case history for general purpose elastomer are given in two-page pamphlet.

"Facts about Hypalon" is issued by Elastomers Div., E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., (Inc.), Dept. CP, Wilmington, Delaware. When inquiring specify CP 2861 on form opposite last page.

Gives information on soda ash

Information on production, grades, and distribution of soda ash is given in four-page, two-color folder. Illustrations of using industries are included.

"Trona Soda Ash" is issued by American Potash and Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 3030 W. Sixth St., Los Angeles 54, Calif. When inquiring specify CP 2862 on form opposite last page.



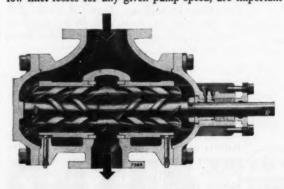
What to Look for in a Rotary Screw Type Pump

By W. J. Mongon, Assistant Chief Engineer
De Laval Steam Turbine Company

A sound knowledge of design, and how it affects performance, is the best insurance a buyer can have that he will get the pump he needs. This brief analysis of the IMO, a rotary three-screw pump manufactured by the De Laval Steam Turbine Company, will give you some of the necessary facts.

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Air and gas dehydration with silica gel

A report on research in dehydration of air and gas with manufacturer's silica gel is covered in sixteenpage technical bulletin. Research was carried on at Southwest Research Institute, a natural gas plant, in manufacturer's laboratories. Twelve graphs, charts, and flow sheets accompany the text and supply much technical data on the subject, and its many variables.

Tech Bul No. 201 is issued by Davison Chemical Co., Div. of W. R. Grace & Co., Dept. CP, 101 N. Charles St., Baltimore 3, Md. When inquiring check CP 2864 on form which is located opposite last page.

RATS! History of a strain up to rat No. 1,000,000

Commemorating the one millionth rat born since the founding of an animal colony in 1923, industrial laboratory has published an eight-page booklet about one of their products - rats. Complete with an almost life-size die-cut white rat on each page, booklet describes background, important considerations in raising rats, diet, selectivity, shipment methods, and other details pertinent to the rodents.

"Rats for Research" is available from Supplee Div., Foster D. Snell, Inc., Dept. CP, 29 W. 15th St., New York 11, New York. When inquiring specify CP 2865 on form which is located opposite last page.

Outlines miniature instruments for control

Bulletin of twelve pages in two colors describes miniature recorders and controllers of process variables. Instruments operate on a pneumaticbalance principle to eliminate lost motion and reduce friction to a minimum. Recorder and indicator specifications are given. Schematic diagram of basic model in instrument system is given. Industrial bulletins pertinent to the reader . . . offering data on products, processes, services

Block diagrams are included for typical installa-

Bulletin 7202 "Tel-O-Set Instruments" is issued by Industrial Division, Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co., Dept. CP, Wayne & Windrim Aves., Philadelphia 44, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2866 on form opposite last page.

Phantom drawing shows fork truck make-up

Printed in three colors, four-page folder features a large phantom view of typical fork truck with torque converter. Transmission, brake system, motor, cooling system, radiator, and other vital parts are shown in their true position.

Folder 2414 is issued by Yale Materials Handling Div., The Yale & Towne Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 11000 Roosevelt Blvd., Philadelphia 15, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2867 on form opposite last page.

Covers impervious graphite pipe, fittings, and valves

Twelve-page catalog gives properties and recommended applications of pipe, fittings, and valves fabricated from corrosion-resistant impervious graphite.

Catalog 965 is issued by Falls Industries Inc., Dept. CP, 21909 Aurora Rd., Solon, Ohio. When inquiring specify CP 2868 opposite last page.

Rubber-phenolics design file

Rubber-phenolics applications are subject of revised handbook treating molding compounds based on a combination of phenolic resin and synthetic rubber.

CDC-237A is available from Chemical Materials Dept., General Electric Co., Dept. CP, Pittsfield, Mass. Specify CP 2869 opposite last page.

Describes demonstrator of nuclear reaction

Including a block diagram to illustrate theory of simulator's operation, four-page folder illustrates nuclear reactor simulator assembly. Photos show instrument's chief components, said to be identical to those used in research reactors presently in operation. Simulator described can demonstrate operation of at least five kinds of reactors, including thermal reactors and pool types.

Folder ND-46-70-700(2) is issued by Leeds & Northrup Co., Dept. CP, 444 N. 16th St., Philadelphia 30, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 2870 on form opposite last page.

Shows labware packing method that prevents breakage

Packages for storing and shipping laboratory glassware are described in this four-page, two-color brochure. Known as "Air-Pak" these containers provide bursting pressure protection of about 525 psi compared with about 275 psi for conventional containers. Brochure cites savings due to reduced breakage in shipment.

"Tomorrow's Packaging . . ." is issued by Doerr Glass Co., Dept. CP, Vineland, N. J. Specify CP 2871 on form opposite last page.

Shows level indicator using gamma rays

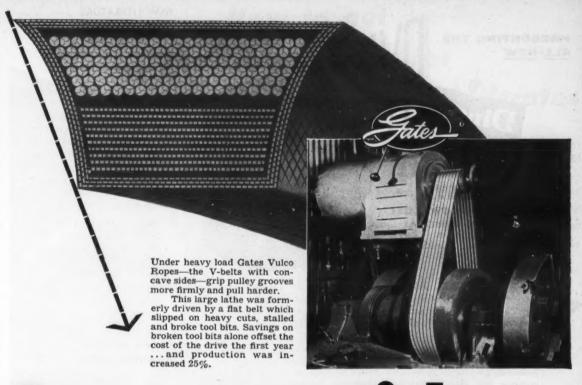
Bulletin of four pages describes technique of using gamma ray absorption for level indication. Example shown in bulletin describes level control for petroleum coke. Block diagram and pictures are used to explain equipment and method of operation.

Bul P-102 is issued by Tracerlab, Inc., Dept. CP, 130 High St., Boston 10, Mass. When inquiring specify CP 2872 on form opposite last page.

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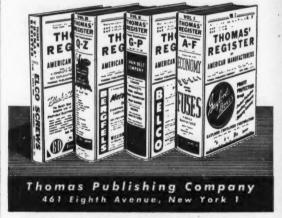
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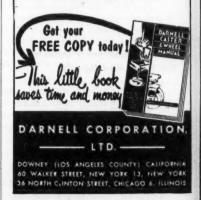


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As a result, automation has become a menacing word — a kind of modern bogey-man with which to frighten our people. And, it is proving effective. For example, a few months ago, the Public Opinion Index took a poll among more than a thousand workers, and asked them two questions: First, did they favor the use of more new and "improved" machines. They did, by about three to one. They were asked how they felt about more automation. But they opposed that, three to two!

Yet the two things are, of course, really identical. There is nothing new about automation except the word itself. This thing called automation is simply evolution — not revolution. It is only another little step in the slow and plodding progress of man towards a richer, fuller life, and a better, freer world.

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So the time has come to label this propaganda for the fraud it really is. The facts show that only through the widest possible use of new and better machines can we hope to achieve the fullest measure of employment and a higher standard of living. Whether we like it or not, the march of industrial progress will always go on. We can, perhaps, delay it, to our grave national peril, but we cannot ever stop it; for it is an absolute law of nature that every living thing must grow and change so long as life itself continues. That is true of men, and it is true of nations.

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(Copies of Mr. Fairless' address, "Our One Indispensable Weapon", are available upon request from Mr. J. Carlisle MacDonald, Assistant to Chairman, United States Steel Corporation, Dept. CP, 71 Broadway, New York 6, N. Y.)

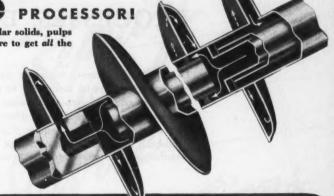
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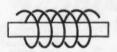
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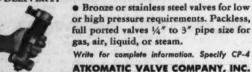
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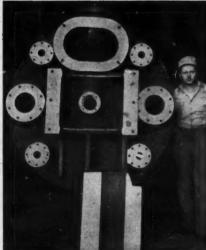
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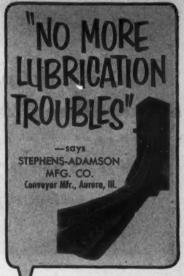
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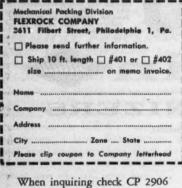
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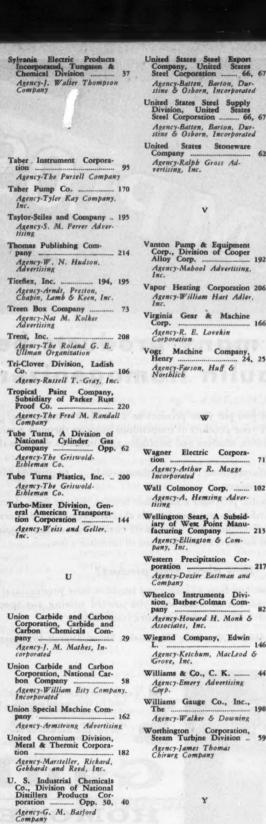
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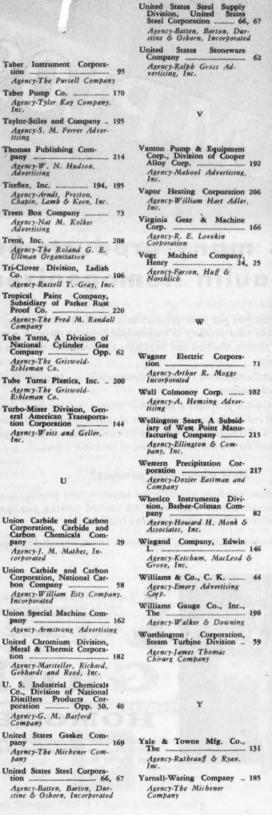
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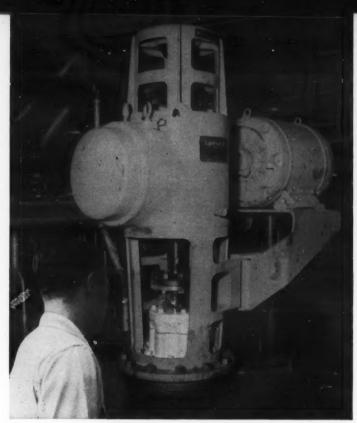
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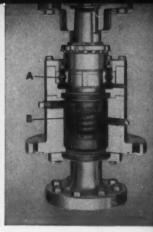
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